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THE WEATHER
Unsettled. Probably rain changing to snow late tonight or Thursday. Colder.

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STATE SUPREME COURT CLEANS UP ENTIRE CALENDAR

Philadelphia, Jan. 3.—The State Supreme Court convened in this city today for its regular session of the winter and the court handed down a large batch of decisions, mostly in the county of Allegheny and other counties in the western part of the state.

At the conclusion of the reading of the decision, Chief Justice Robert von Moschzisker, addressing the crowded court room, announced that "it gives me pleasure to say that all pending cases before the court have been decided with the handing down of these decisions and the court starts the New Year with a clean calendar.

HERRIN STRIKERS INCITED TO RIOT SAYS THE DEFENSE

Marion, Ill., Jan. 3.—Guards at the Lester strip mines fired into crowds of union sympathizers the day previous to the Herrin massacre, Renfrou, defense witness testified today in the trial of five men accused of participation in the killing.

Crowds of men, women and children were in the fields surrounding the mines the day previous to the killing of the strike breakers, Renfrou declared. "I was standing on the dump of a nearby mine and saw smoke from shooting issue from the strip mines and I could see puffs of dust rising among the people."

Many persons in the crowd were killed in the shooting that day and defense attorney sought to show that this incited the sympathizers to the massacre of twenty non-union workers the next day.

PENSION BILL FOR CIVIL AND SPANISH VETERANS VETOED

Washington, Jan. 3.—President Harding today vetoed the Bursum bill providing for an increase in pensions of Civil and Spanish war veterans and their widows.

The financial budget burdens of the country are too great to be further increased, the President held. The President objected to the bill as an "outright bestowal" upon the government pension roll with a heedlessness for the government financial problem, which is a discouragement to every effort to reduce expenditures and thereby reduce the volume of taxes.

Brooklyn Gangster Found Shot; Will Not Name Slayers

New York, Jan. 3.—A tragedy of the underworld came to light today when William Lovitt, called by the police the leader of the "Brooklyn white hand gang," was found in a rooming house on the water front near death from three bullet wounds near the heart.

"This is the game of give and take," he gasped as he was picked up. "When we get it we take it." He refused to betray the names of his assailants. The shooting, he said, occurred in the street. The police then carried him into the building and put him to bed.

Police believe that Lovitt's "exit" was plotted by other members of his gang, which was split over international politics. They fear a renewed outbreak of the fighting which has been going on recently.

Raymond Otter, a student at the Carnegie Institute of Technology, has returned to Pittsburg where he will resume his studies after spending his Christmas vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Otter.

Bish Lansberry, the mayor of "Bishtown," was in from his Bradford township metropolis on a business mission today.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Ellis returned last evening from Baltimore, Md., where they spent New Years with friends.

FORMER SPEAKER OF HOUSE, WHITTAKER, DIES IN HOTEL ROOM

Harrisburg, Jan. 3.—Maj. Samuel A. Whitaker, member of the House from the new Second Chester District and speaker during the final week of the session of 1921, was found dead in his room at the Governor hotel shortly after 4 o'clock yesterday by Margaret Ross, a hotel employe. It is believed he died from heart disease last night, as he was fully dressed except his collar was open. When found he was lying across the bed.

Maj. Whitaker came here from his home late Monday and registered at the hotel about 6 o'clock. He was seen about the corridors during the evening, but did not attend the Republican caucus. His absence from the organization of the House yesterday caused considerable comment, but it was supposed he had been called out of town. News of his death came to the Capitol shortly after the houses had adjourned and there were many expressions of regret, as Maj. Whitaker was personally very popular with legislators. President T. L. Eyre of the Senate, a friend for many years, voiced much sorrow and Secretary W. Harry Baker of the Senate took charge of the body, telegraphing the major's home, where the body was sent tonight. Speaker C. J. Goodnough will decide what steps should be taken by the House.

Status Is Affected.

While Maj. Whitaker was elected a member from the Second Chester District as colleague of Miss Martha G. Thomas, the fact that he was not present to take the oath affects his status as a legislator and it is doubtful whether his estate would receive the salary. Owing to his long service in the House and the fact that he died at this time the House will honor him.

The Chester county legislator was a member of a prominent family, being a relative of Judge J. Whitaker Thompson and the late Gov. Samuel W. Pennypacker. He was born February 15, 1876, in Phoenixville. He was educated at the University of Pennsylvania and had been practicing law for years. For years Maj. Whitaker was connected with the National Guard and served on the Mexican border and in France and Belgium as captain of Battery C, One Hundred and Seventh Field Artillery, a part of the Twenty-eighth Division. He was appointed a major a few years ago.

Elected in 1913.

The legislative service of Maj. Whitaker began with the 1913 session and he served in all except that of 1919, having been in France when the election was held for that year. He was chairman of the Corporations Committee last session and on April 25, during the "rump" session of the House, was elected speaker.

Senator J. O. Clark, Indiana, and Representative Isaac M. Chaplin, Cambria, saw him Monday night at the hotel and said he complained of feeling sick, remarking to Mr. Chaplin that he had been troubled with heart disease.

Coroner Makes Investigation.

Coroner J. H. Kreider tonight expressed the belief Maj. Whitaker died about 8 o'clock yesterday morning. The Major is said to have retired early and had likely been taken ill and become unconscious last night. Several people about the hotel heard him complain of heart trouble. The maid looked in the room several times during the day, but seeing him lying on the bed thought he was sleeping. Maj. Whitaker was appointed on the Rules Committee of the House yesterday.

HEN WITH A WOODEN LEG

London (By Mail to United Press)—A message from St. Clears, Carmarthenshire says that a hen on a neighboring farm met with an accident which necessitated the amputation of its leg. An amateur veterinary surgeon successfully performed the operation and then replaced the lost limb with a little wooden leg. The hen is now able to strut around the yard.

Gives Employes His Business

Henry A. Dix of the firm of H. A. Dix & Sons, New York City, has just given his entire business, which yields a revenue of over $1,000,000 a year, to his employes. Dix and his son have withdrawn from financial control. All profits will go to the workers

TODAY'S GUESSES ON WHO WILL MAKE UP THE PINCHOT CABINET

HARRISBURG, Pa., Jan. 3.—Governor-elect Gifford Pinchot was here today for a conference with State Officials on the budget. He refused to discuss his Cabinet but information from high officials indicated it may be as follows:

Attorney General, District Attorney Rowan of Philadelphia, or George Woodruff of Warren.

Highway Commissioner, M. L. McCreight of DuBois, or William H. Connell of Philadelphia.

Health Commissioner, Dr. Stanley Rhinehart of Pittsburgh, husband of Mary Roberts Rhinehart, author.

Commissioner of Welfare, Dr. Potter of Philadelphia.

Agriculture, Fred Rasmussen of State College.

Secretary of the Commonwealth, John H. Fisher of Indiana.

Education, Thomas E. Finnegan of Harrisburg.

Adjutant General, Frank D. Beary of Norristown.

HARVEY LAYS TALE OF EUROPE'S WOE BEFORE PRESIDENT

Washington, Jan. 3.—Important conferences on America's move to solve the critical European economic situation began here today between Col. George Harvey, ambassador to Great Britain, and high administration officials.

As another attempt of Europe to solve its own problem seemed a near failure because of the widely divergent views of the French and British, Harvey, summoned from his post because of America's decision to intervene in Europe, gave President Harding and Secretary of State Hughes a first-hand report on the grave economic situation in Europe.

It is then assumed that President Harding and the administration leaders will map out a course of action for the United States in the event that Europe's final attempt to settle the reparation question through the French conference fails.

BRITISH TO QUIT PREMIER'S MEET IF FRANCE SITS TIGHT

Paris, Jan. 3.—The British delegation to the allied premiers' conference will withdraw tomorrow if Premier Poincare insists upon the French reparation plan as the sole basis for discussion, it was announced today.

President Millerand of France summoned an extraordinary meeting of the cabinet council for eleven o'clock this morning to consider the situation.

The cabinet voted that the British plan for reducing the German payment to fifty billion gold marks with a four year payment and no coercion was "absolutely unacceptable."

Misses Dorothy Schenck and Rebecca Ferguson spent the week-end with friends in Philipsburg.

Martial Law Will Be Declared In Moorehouse Parish, It Is Believed

Mer Rouge, La. Jan. 3.—Martial law will be declared in Morehouse Parish to prevent further terrorism and coercion of witnesses who are to testify against the masked murderers of Watt Daniels and Thomas Richards, according to authoritative information here today.

WILL BANQUET FRIDAY NIGHT

The men of the West Side Methodist church will dine at Jordan's Hotel at 7:15 Friday evening next. The energetic committee in charge have been working hard to make this meeting a highly successful one and have induced President John W. Long, of Dickinson Seminary to come to Clearfield and address the assemblage which in itself alone is treat enough to warrant a record attendance.

SCOUT NOTICE

The postponed house committee meeting of all troops will be held Saturday morning at 10:30 in the headquarters. This is a meeting which will effect the policy for the coming year and it is imperative that both captains and members of this committee observe this notice. The business of renovating the building is now on in earnest and the committee is responsible for its prompt accomplishment.

The first staff meeting of the new year will be held on Monday, the regular evening, at 7:15. A complete attendance is so rare and yet so necessary that captains and lieutenants are asked to consider this an absolute engagement. It is held early in order not to consume the entire evening.

Scott Norris, Jr., returned to Pittsburgh after spending a few days with local friends.

MERRILL STREET MURDERER OF '14 ADJUDGED INSANE

Sheriff Thomas J. Lowell, assisted by Chief of Police McMullen, conveyed James Litz of Curwensville, to the Western Penitentiary at Pittsburg last week, where Litz began his seven to nine year sentence to the "pen."

While at the penitentiary Sheriff Lowell took charge of Paul Carro, of Clearfield, and John Shulskey, of DuBois, Clearfield county prisoners, who had been adjudged insane, and removed the two men to the state asylum for the criminal insane located at Farview, Wayne county.

Carro was convicted in the Clearfield county courts of the killing of Anthony Matasero and sentenced to serve eighteen years in the penitentiary. The murder occurred on Merrill street, Clearfield, on Sunday, April 19th, 1914. Carro and Ralph Mastrianno did the job. They were captured in the woods on Coal Hill a few hours after the crime. Mastrianno was given six years in the penitentiary. Carro, who has served seven years of his long term, has been an especially troublesome prisoner during all his imprisonment, his keepers declaring he has broken mentally under the strain of his confinement.

Shulskey was serving a four year sentence for breaking and entering. He has also given the prison authorities a lot of trouble since being sent to Pittsburg.

LEND A HAND TO THIS MAN'S FAMILY

Ed Rogers of R. F. D. 1, Kittanning, Pa., was one of the patriotic young men who believed that the whole world should join in whipping Germany and doing it quick and he put his belief into action by going to Canada and enlisting. Soon he was wounded and returned to the States where his neck wound developed into a cancer and he died just a couple of weeks ago leaving a $2000 mortgage on his little home where are sheltere his wife and six children. On returning to the states he became naturalized and thereby forfeited any financial help from the British government.

The people of the central and western part of Pennsylvania are going to show their gratitude for such patriotism and high ideals as shown by Ed. Rodgers by subscribing to the "Ed Rogers Fund" at the Farmers's National Bank of Kittanning. Send a contribution at once

Before going "west" Ed Rogers, fully realizing that his end was near and desiring to provide some means for his family, wrote a little booklet entitled "My Experiences as a German Prisoner of War." It is an interesting tale written in a fascinating manner. It is on sale at Stewart's Drug Store, The Irvin Drug Store and at the Sheriff's office. The price is only fifty cents and all the proceeds will go to the "Ed Rogers Fund."

COURT NOTES

Miller & Hartswick, on behalf of Roberts and Schaeffer Co., of Chicago, entered suit in Prothonotary Ralston's office yesterday against the Irvona Coal Company for the purpose of recovering $3981.33 with interest from Nov. 1, 1918. The statement filed with the notice of suit shows that the amount sued for is alleged to be due for plans, specifications and estimates for a tipple, comlete with cross-over dump, weigh hopper, etc., prepared by the Chicago concern for the Coal Company. The itemized bill shows these items making up the bill: For drafting room time, etc, $1334.69; telegrams, $209; Engineering fees, $2558.75.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Wall and family have returned to their home in Harrisburg after spending their vacation with their respective parents.

Helen Passmore has returned to her school in Clearfield.

L. D. McDowell of Dorey street left yesterday for Coatesville to visit W. T. McDowell, his brother, who is very ill.

PRISONER AT JAIL, VIOLENTLY ILL, IS GRANTED A PAROLE

Mike Titanic, the Brisbin moonshiner, can count 1922 as his unlucky year. Mike ran foul of the law for manufacturing and selling moonshine on July 3d last and remained in jail from that time until his friends bailed him out on December 4th. On December 28th he was sentenced to pay $100 fine and costs and serve 12 months in jail, with provision for a parole at the end of six months.

On December 30th Mike was seized with such terrific pains in his abdominal region that four fellow bootleggers enjoying the county's bounty were required to hold him on his cot until Jail Physician Cowdrick could be summoned and give him relief.

Dr. Cowdrick found Mike in such condition that he ordered his removal at once to the Clearfield hospital, where he was placed under observation to determine the nature of his illness. Yesterday a petition was presented to the Court by Charles Holeweski, a neighbor, setting forth Mike's condition and stating that his friends would pay the fine and costs by popular subscription provided the Court would parole Mike until such time as his physical condition would warrant his serving his jail term.

A sworn statement from Dr. Waterworth, who is examining Mike was attached to the petition, which declared the prisoner to be suffering from a goitre and stomach trouble, the extent of which could not be determined at this time. He stated that Mike's condition was such that it would be dangerous to confine him to jail and recommended that he be paroled for at least six months.

Judge Bell thereupon made an order further paroling Mike for the required six months and directing the District Attorney to inquire into the case and report at February quarter sessions.

Junior High Financiers Start Off New Year By Deposits Of $556.68

The students at the Junior High School are becoming real bank depositors and certainly did not "waste all their substance in riotous living during the recent holiday season. Today, the opening of school after the holiday recess, was "banking day" and considerable rivalry was shown between the girls and the boys as to which class would make the largest deposit. When the final count was had it was found the sterner sex had ungallantly "outfinanced" the ladies. The figures were pretty close at that, however as the grand total of $556.68 for the day was made up of $294.77 from the boys and $261.91 from the girls. The extent of the rivalry will be shown when it is stated that this total is $431.04 greater than that of the same day last year.

Two rows of girls in Miss McLaren's room proved to be real "Hetty Green's" by heading the list with a total contribution of $135.42. Two rows of boys in Miss Mitchell's room were "the Ponzi's" of the school, they being second in the race with a deposit of $120.97.

The banking idea has taken a firm hold on the Junior High pupils who in the fourteen banking days thus far this season have saved and deposited $1,898.79.

EX-SHERIFF LOSES $3,000 IN FEES BY JUDGE'S DECISION

Judge Bell handed down his opinion in the matter of the exceptions taken by the County Commissioners and former Sheriff A. M. Gorman to the reports of the County Auditors for the years 1920 and 1921.

Following the filing of these statements the County Commissioners objected to some of the items allowed the Sheriff by the County Auditors alleging the charges were excessive and illegal.

Sheriff Gorman then also filed exceptions to the report alleging that in some cases the allowance made was below the legal fees.

Argument was heard by Judge Bell several weeks ago, Messrs Smith & Smith, representing Mr. Gorman, while County Solicitor A. H. Woodward represented the County Commissioners. In his opinion Judge Bell defines each disputed item and all together reduces the total charged approximately $3,000.

Musical Comedy Which Visited Here Last Night Way Above The Average

"Listen To Me" at the Drimes Theatre last evening fully justified Manager Hartman in bringing the company here, when it not only pleased a capacity audience but brought out such a crowd that Manager Hartman was forced to turn away more than two hundred persons unable to find either seats or standing room in the big theatre.

The tuneful musical extravaganza furnished opportunity for Barbara Bronell and a capable supporting cast to demonstrate that they were really capable artists.

It was a very creditable performance. The girls were pretty, their costumes gorgeous, the music catchy while the comedy was both plentiful, clean and wholesome.

"Listen To Me" was away above the average of musical comedies hitting this section.

BRADFORD TOWNSHIP HOME SADDENED

Mrs. Robert Hauser, aged about 22 years, who resided in Bradford township in the Shiloh settlement, died at the Clearfield hospital on Monday last as the result of an attack of peritonitis. She is survived by her husband and three small children.

Her mother-in-law, Mrs. David Hauser, who had been nursing the deceased thru her illness, contracted blood poisoning by means of a cut on her finger and is lying at her home in a critical condition, with but little hope for her recovery.

JACKSON DAY DINNER CALLED OFF

The Jackson Day dinner, which had been scheduled to be held at The Dimeling hotel on Monday evening, January 8, 1923, by local Democrats, has been called off because the committee in charge of the arrangements was unable to procure the desired speakers for the occasion.

Figures Show That Marriage Makes Men More Successful

OF 100 MARRIED MEN
59 succeed | 41 fail

OF 100 SINGLE MEN
49 succeed | 51 fail

IS that worldly wise maxim to the effect that "he travels fastest who travels alone" to go the way of other exploded fallacies? Is it, in the modern competitive struggle, the married man who more frequently succeeds?

Statisticians of the Phoenix Mutual Life Insurance Company recently had occasion to study this question, to sift the evidence in hundreds of cases. They found that the married man has the best chance to succeed. Among every hundred married men whose records were examined 59 had advanced so steadily that success was stamped upon their careers. Forty-one had "failed to make the grade." Among the single men, however, the failures outbalanced the successes. Fifty-one made records that were mediocre or worse, while 49 had succeeded.

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WANTED—Girl for general house work. No washing. Bell phone 48, H. & C. 464L. 12|9|tf|ch

WANTED—COAL MINERS. $1.00 PER TON. We pay $1.00 per ton for loading machine cut clean coal 38 in. to 46 in. in heighth no binder. All new equipment in mine. Best of roof and bottom. Drift mine. No trouble. Good houses, shanties and boarding. We work every day regardless of car supply, as we are storing coal. Also want family to run boarding house. J. O. Taylor, Nichola, Pa., on B., R. & P. R. R. 12|29|6t|ch

WANTED—A girl at Palace Hotel. 12|30|3t|ch

WANTED — First class barber. Good wages, steady work. Call or address James Cross, Market street shop, Clearfield, Pa. 1|2|4t|ch

WANTED—Will buy going coal property. Only reasonable price considered. Write full particulars. P. L. Wingert, Punxsutawney, Pa. 1|2 2t|ch

WANTED—To buy a second hand cash register. Write to Box 106, Leconte Mills, Pa. 1|2|4t|p

WANTED—Three or four boarders. Inquire 326 Fourth street. 1|2|1t|pd

WANTED—5 or 6 miners to load machine coal. Steady work. Call R. M. Haney, Bell 'phone 138 J after 6:30 p. m. 1|2|6t|ch

WANTED—A girl to do general office work. One with experience preferred Inquire Progress. 12|30|3t

WANTED—Capable girl for general housework. Mrs. H. P. Kuk, Curwensville, Pa. 12|28|tf.c

WANTED—Man to make railroad ties. James I. Murray, Shawville, Pa. 1|3|3t|pd

WANTED—Two gentlemen to room and board. Must have references. Two squares from Court House. Inquire Progress. 1|3|4t|ch

WANTED—Good boy for inside work. Must be 16 years old. Fine chance to learn trade. Prefer heavy boy. Apply at once to The Progress. 1|3|tf|pd

Territory open for hustlers who can approach and sell direct to automobile owners and who will appreciate connection with and close co-operation of manufacturing company. Only those sincere in their desire to earn large returns through earnest efforts, apply in person or write—"Sales Manager," 1303 Arrott Building, Pittsburg, Pa. 1|3|2t|ch

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Good sound young pony, broken for mine work. Very small. A dandy for a low vein mine. Also one-ton Ford truck, steel dump body with cab complete, nearly new. R. M. Haney, 701 Nichols street. 1|2|6t|c

FOR SALE—Lot of fine shoats. Also some good pigs. Call or address John G. Haines, Woodland, R. D., Pa. 1|2|2t|ch

FOR SALE—Gray reed stroller in good condition. Will sell cheap to quick buyer. 1|2|2t|pd

FOR SALE—House and lot in Curwensville Lot 70x195. Eleven-room house and good location. Almost in center of town. Near school, post office and church. Room on lot for large dwelling. Inquire Progress. 1|2|2t|pd

FOR SALE—Five room house located on West Side. Possession at once to buyer. Inquire West Side Pool Room. 1|3|6t|pd

FOR SALE—A Ford car, 1922 model, in good condition. Will be sold at a reasonable price. Call at 496 10th street. 1|3|4t|pd

Try a Progress Want Ad.

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—On Saturday one black and tan female hound, 18 in. high. When last seen had a heavy leather collar and 1922 license tag. Reward if returned to W. A. Collins. H. & C. phone 266WJ. 1|3|4t|ch

LOST—One adult light overcoat between Curwensville and Clearfield on Saturday night. Finder please return to Progress office. 1|3|1t|pd

LOST—Chain off heavy truck between Curwensville and Clearfield. Finder please call or return to Clearfield Dairy Co. H. & C. phone 261. 1|3|3t|ch

LOST—Black and tan female fox hound. Owner's name on tag. F. C. Evans, Clearfield, Pa. 1|3|4t|pd

LOST—Pair of dark brown Ideal shoes on Market street Saturday last. Finder please notify Progress. 1|3|3t|pd

FOUND—Child's gocart at Driggs theater on Dec. 18th. Owner please call for same and pay for this notice. 1|2|2t|ch

FOUND—A gentleman's heavy gold ring. Owner can have same by calling and proving property and paying for this ad. 1|3|2t|ch

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms Inquire 218½ Pine street. 1|2|tf|ch

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms on Market street, pleasant surroundings. Inquire Progress office. 1|3|1t|ch

ITEMS OF INTEREST

NOTICE

There will be a regular monthly and quarterly meeting of Stockholders in Union Labor Co-operative Association held in 3rd Ward Hose House Hall Wednesday, Jan. 3rd at 7:30 p. m. for election of officers for this year.

Yours for Co-operation,
J. A. BRETH,
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ANNUAL MEETING OF THE CLEARFIELD COUNTY AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY

The Clearfield County Agricultural Society will hold an Annual Meeting in the Court House, Clearfield, Pennsylvania, January 17th, 1923, at 10:00 a. m., and 1:30 p. m. The election of Officers and Committee, and the report of the Fair, will be given at this meeting.

Any community desiring to hold Local Farmers Institute this Winter, bring your application to this meeting, or send it to the Farm Bureau, Clearfield, Pennsylvania. Yearly dues twenty-five cents per member.

Attest:
Fred B. Reed, Secretary.
Harrison Straw, President.
13|4t|c

NOTICE

The Ladies Aid of Trinity M. E. church will hold business meeting Thursday Jan. 4th at 3 o'clock, followed by lunch. Menu: Escalloped oysters, pepper hash, hot rolls and coffee. 1|3|1t|ch

EXECUTRIX'S NOTICE

Estate of John Bennett late of Pike township, Clearfield County, Penna.

Letters testamentary having been granted the undersigned on the above estate, all persons owing said estate are hereby notified to make immediate payment, while those holding claims against the same will present them duly authenticated for settlement without delay.

SADIE BENNETT,
WALTER BENNETT,
Executors.
Curwensville, Pa., R. F. D. No. 1.
1|3|10|17|24|31 2|7|ch

SECOND WARD HOSE CO. DANCE

The regular weekly dance will be held at the Second Ward Hose House on Thursday evening, Jan. 4th. The hose house has been newly papered and painted and every effort will be made to show patrons a good time. 13|2t|ch

LEITZINGER BROS.
Store Opens at 8 A. M.

LEITZINGER BROS.
Store Closes at 5:30 P. M.

THE JANUARY SALES
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NOTICE TO BONDHOLDERS

Holders of Clearfield Borough Improvement Bonds, issue of 1914, Nos. 1, 2, 3, 6, 8, 9, 10, 11, 13, 15, 17, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, of $500 each and Nos. 5, 10, 11, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, of $100 each, will present them to the Clearfield Trust Company, Treasurer, for redemption as no interest will be allowed on these bonds after this date.

By direction of Council,
J. D. CONNELLY,
Secretary.
Clearfield, Pa., Dec. 29, 1922. 4tc

NOTICE TO HEIRS

In the Orphans' Court for the County of Clearfield.

In the matter of the title of Helen Umerley to Lot No. 325 in the plan of the Borough of Osceola, in the County of Clearfield and State of Pennsylvania.

TO WILLIAM SHANNAHAN AND MORRIS SHANNAHAN, THEIR HEIRS AND LEGAL REPRESENTATIVES, AND TO ALL PERSONS HAVING PRESENT OR EXPECTANT INTEREST IN THE PREMISES:—

Notice is hereby given that Helen Umerley has presented her petition to the Orphan's Court of Clearfield County setting forth, inter alia, that she is the present owner and part in possession of lot No. 325 in the Borough of Osceola, County of Clearfield and State of Pennsylvania, in said petition more fully described; that the title of the said Helen Umerley is defective by reason of the fact that William Shannahan and Morris Shannahan, each entitled to an undivided one-fifth (1|5) interest in the same have been absent and unheard from for a period of 56 years and upwards; that after careful search by the petitioner she is unable to locate the said William Shannahan and Morris Shannahan; whereupon the said Orphans' Court of Clearfield County upon due consideration has directed that a citation be issued to the said William Shannahan and Morris Shannahan, their heirs and legal representatives and to all persons having present or expectant interest in the said premises to appear on the 15th day of January 1923 at 10 o'clock A. M. to show cause why a decree should not be made confirming absolute and complete title, in fee simple, in the said Helen Umerley; the petitioner, to the premises described in the said petition and making the same free and stable forever in the said petitioner, her heirs and assigns forever; and further directing that the said citation be served upon such persons as have known no address by publication in two newspapers of general circulation, printed and published in Clearfield County, Pennsyvania, for six (6) successive weeks. And further that W. Ebridge Brown, Esq., be and is hereby appointed Master to make a full and thorough investigation of the facts and to report to said Court the expediency of granting the prayer of said petition and to submit for final consideration of the Court a form of final decree herein.

THOMAS J. LOWELL,
12|6|13|10|27 1|8|10|ch Sheriff.

NOTICE

In the Orphans Court of Clearfield County.

In re. Estate of Robert Osborn, late of the City of DuBois, Pa., presumed decedent.

Notice is hereby given that a petition has been filed in said Court in said Estate, to have Robert Osborn declared judicially dead according to the Act of Assembly in such case made and provided, the said Robert Osborn having been absent from the place of his last domicile and unheard of for more than seven years, and that the Court has ordered a hearing to be had on said application before the said Court on Monday the 26th day of February, 1923 at 9 o'clock A. M., at which time and place all persons interested may attend and be heard. Said petition is made by Sarah Bogle the sister of said presumed decedent, who would be entitled to received Letters of Administration on said presumed decedent's estate, and who would be entitled to inherit said estate.

MILLER & HARTSWICK,
Attorneys for Sarah Bogle.
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ODDS AND ENDS AND THINGS

By J. D. C.

Here is where your money goes, or where a lot of it went during the year just ended.

Interest on the public debt caused the disbursement of $857,085,715 by the federal government during the eleven months from January to November inclusive, according to the latest official statement by the Treasury Department.

Interest on the debt was the largest single item of government expenditure during the calendar year, 1922, the official statement shows.

The cost of the debt service, like other government costs, is being reduced steadily.

The national debt, mainly represented by Liberty bonds and Victory notes, is largely a heritage of the World War. The debt service and other expenditures of a military nature comprised more than half of the total paid out as ordinary disbursements during the first eleven months of the year.

To maintain the Veterans' Bureau cost the government $422,317,555, or nearly 50 per cent. as much as the debt service.

The Army and the War Department expended the third largest sum, $380,309,189. This, however, includes some disbursements made by the War Department on account of rivers and harbor works not of a military nature.

The Navy Department spent $338,146,927, most of which was for purely naval purposes.

The Interior Department and the Agriculture Department, which render services direct to citizens in no way connected with military purposes, spent sums which stand out in the departmental disbursements. The Agriculture Department expended $117,539,429, and the Interior Department, a total of $324,852,544.

The United States Shipping Board, inherited from the World War, paid out a total of $30,046,584.

Congress cost the government $16,528,311, or less than any other government agency, with the exception of the presidential establishment.

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The following record is a comparison of the more important financial and business figures for the year 1922 as compared with 1921, as compiled by R. G. Dunn & Co.

Bank Clearings—	
1922	$364,970,000,000
1921	329,770,000,000
*Railroad Earnings—	
1922	$4,676,027,000
1921	4,738,189,000
Farm Crops (value)—	
1922	$7,572,890,000
1921	5,729,912,000
Mdse. Exp., 11 mo.—	
1922	$3,491,633,000
1921	4,188,832,000
Net Gold Imp., 11 mo.—	
1922	$214,564,000
1921	638,435,000
Commercial Failures—	
1922	$615,257,000
1921	627,401,000
Bond Sales (par value)—	
1922	$4,130,900,000
1921	3,402,538,000
Stock Sales (shares)—	
1922	262,500,000
1921	173,127,000
Pig Iron Output (tons)—	
†1922	23,793,000
†1921	14,894,000
Unfilled Steel Tonnage—	
1922	6,840,000
1921	4,250,000
Cotton Cons., Bales—	
†1922	5,561,000
†1921	4,896,000
Dun's Index Number—	
1922	$185,462
1921	164,531
°Federal Reserve Ratios—	
1922	80.4%
1921	73.1%

*Gross Earnings.
†11 Months.
°Highest Ratios.

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We believe that if the camp limit for deer was reduced to four bucks for the season and the killing of "spikes" entirely prohibited it would solve the problem of increasing the size of our deer and allow more mature bucks to roam the wilds. Some hunters are asking that the deer season be reduced to one week. That is entirely too short a time; it doesn't give a fellow a chance for enough recreation while it would make it much more dangerous for the deer hunters by crowding all the hunters into the woods during the one week. We propose to give our views to the State Game Commission before the proposed changes are made in the deer law at this session of the legislature. What are you going to do about it?

Privilege Rarely Neglected.
By asking one question a man gives a woman the right to ask questions for the rest of his life.—Boston Transcript.

EXECUTRIX'S NOTICE

Estate of John Buck, late of Cooper township, Clearfield county, Pa., deceased.

Letters testamentary having been granted the undersigned on the above estate, all persons owing said estate are hereby notified to make immediate payment, while those holding claims against the same will present them duly authenticated for settlement without delay.

ANNA BUCK, Executrix,
Grassflat, Pa.
Miller & Hartswick, Attorneys.
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EXECUTOR'S NOTICE

Estate of Mary A. Yothers late of Boggs township, Clearfield County, Pa., deceased.

Letters testamentary having been granted to the undersighed all persons indebted to said estate are hereby urged to make immediate payment, while those having claims against the same will please present them duly authenticated for settlement without delay.

MORRIS SHIMMEL,
Executor.
West Decatur, Pa., Jan. 2, 1923.
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In the Orphans Court of Clearfield County, Pennsylvania.

In re Estate of August Anderson, late of the Borough of Clearfield, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Court as Auditor in the above named Estate to distribute the balance in the hands of the administrator, as per account filed, among those legally entitled to same, notice is hereby given that he will sit for the purpose of his appointment in the office of Boulton, Forsyth & Bell, Kurtz Building, Clearfield, Pa., on Friday, January 19th, at ten o'clock a. m., when and where all persons having claim may be present and be heard, if they so desire.

F. CORTEZ BELL,
Auditor.
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How Much is Freight?

"If the price of farm products is low, freight rates should be in proportion," says Mr. Clyde M. Reed, Chairman Kansas Public Utilities Commission, speaking for the farmers. "Farmers are not entitled to a reduction in rates over other shippers," retorts Mr. C. H. Markham, President of the Illinois Central. And in a masterly way each defends his viewpoint—in next week's issue of

The COUNTRY GENTLEMAN

"But there's a solution," claims Hugh J. Hughes, State Director of Markets in Minnesota; "let each man be his own rate maker."

"If rates are too high to ship hay," continues this able adjudicator, by way of illustration, "feed it locally, where possible, and ship butter."

Perhaps never before have three such timely articles been offered at one time. And this is only a small fraction of the service—entertainment and inspiration, too—which I'll have delivered to you every Thursday in 1923 for only one dollar. My address is below. Let me call today. It places you under no obligation.

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THE BOOK OF 1922 IS CLOSED

For us the year held much of good. Prosperity, work that we love and, best of all, your friendship. Saturday, the 23rd, was the second biggest one-day sales in all the 19 years of our business life. December was a big month. We open the book of 1923 and on the first page we write, "Our New Year's Gift to our Customers Shall Be Full Value at Fair Prices, Service Courteous and Prompt, Friendly Personal Interest To You In the Future As We Have Tried To Be In the Past."

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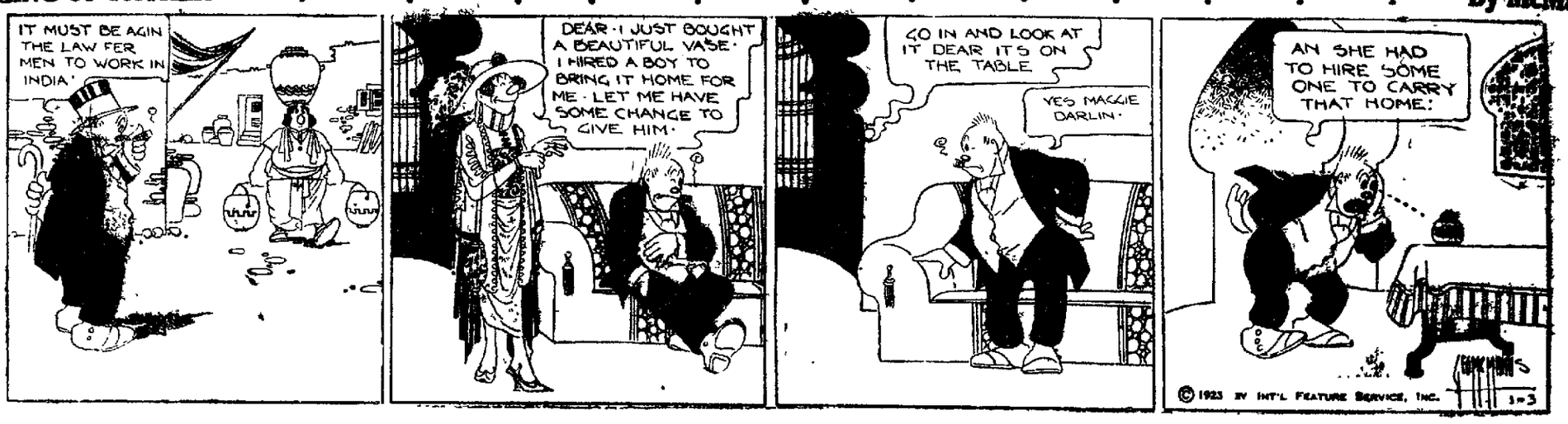
By McManus



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Pancho Villa As A Man of Peace

MEXICO'S FUTURE HOPE IS IN HER RURAL LIFE, SAYS VILLA

By F. G. NEUMEIER
(United Press Staff Correspondent.)

Mexico City, Mexico. (By Mail to United Press.)—"The life of a community is agriculture. If we want to become a great and respected nation we must begin with plenty of schools.

"The future of the nation is in its rural life, in the instruction of the rural classes, although the intellectuals may deny it."

These are not expressions of Mexican educators. They are the expressions of none other but Mexico's former famous outlaw, Francisco "Pancho" Villa.

These statements were made to Miss Esperanza Velasquez Bringas, pretty twenty-year-old Mexican, who "bearded" the former outlaw in his den" at his ranch home in Canutillo. She is believed to be one of the first women in years to interview the former "guerilla" head. She is employed in the federal department of education and is investigating the problem incident to the instruction of the native races.

Miss Bringas has told me the story of her visit to Canutillo and her impressions. She said:

"When we arrived at Parral by train we noticed a group of armed men. Frontier types they were. Tall and robust, each with pistols and rifle and three or four well filled cartridge belts.

"It was General 'Pancho' Villa and his escorts planning to return to Rosario and then to his home at Canutillo.

"I could hardly believe that the former chief of the famous division of the north stood before me.

"As we sat in conversation I watched and noticed each of the phrases used by the ex-revolutionary who has exchanged the life of horror for agricultural pursuits.

"Villa has learned to be amiable, or perhaps he is so by nature, and in his unpolished speech often expresses significant ideas. At times his talk gave me the impression of a crude jar containing some fine essence. It is a rare case of native intelligence. He appears to possess behind his broad forehead and bright eyes the gift of clear vision.

"When we reached Rosario, the end of the railroad line, the general advised us that we would have to remain over night, as it was still a long way to Canutillo, where he lives.

Sent Car For Guest.

"'I'll send a car for you at five in the morning,' he said. 'I'm taking this precaution because you know Murguia (revolutionary leader killed recently by federal forces) tried to reach here just a few days ago. Understand I have my men ready to fight any enemy of peace and order and I'm sure he wouldn't attempt to attack us but it would be better to make the trip by day.'

"He then drove off to his home in a carriage.

"We left the next morning and arrived at Canutillo at three o'clock in the afternoon.

"General Villa received us and his greeting was 'Come right into the dining room. We are holding dinner for you.'

"His affability really astonished me.

"We entered the dining room, a spacious room, redolent with the scent of fruit and new milk, a dining room with a patriarchal table such as those of which Francis James talks.

"Betita, the general's wife, saw to it that we were served a bounteous repast, a delicious soup, mutton and vegetables.

"'When I first came here with the general, I had to roast a little corn and grind it up with some sticks to make gruel. There wasn't a thing to eat, nor anybody to sell anything, as there were no towns anywhere near. I've had to set about building up farms, and little by little the people have come. Today, now, we have meat, corn cakes, milk. We don't lack a thing and that in just two years. How does that look to you?'

"The latter sentence is a habitual expression with the general.

"After a long conversation we retired to sleep. I was assigned to a bedroom, that of Betita, the room being occupied by General Villa's daughters and my cot was placed nearthose three winsome little girls, Micaela, Celia and Juana Maria."

(Tomorrow: "Pancho Villa's School House.")

Stewardship.

We would leave for the consideration of those who shall occupy our places some proof that we hold the blessings transmitted from our fathers in just estimation; some proof of our attachment to the cause of good government and of civil and religious liberty; some proof of a sincere and ardent desire to promote everything which may enlarge the understanding and improve the hearts of men.—Webster.

First Gas Used in This Country.

The first recorded demonstration of gas in the United States was in Philadelphia in August, 1796, when gas was manufactured by M. Ambroise & Co. Italian fireworkers and artists. In Richmond, Va., in 1803, a huge gas lamp was erected on a 40-foot mast which for a time attracted much attention. Introduction of gas lights in Rembrandt Peale's museum in Baltimore in 1816 proved to be such a sensation and success that it led to the organization of a gas company and the lighting of the streets of that city with gas. The light in the museum proved to be even a greater attraction than the skeleton of a mastodon which, up to that time, had been the chief feature of the museum.

Worthy Descendant of Franklin.

Franklin Bache, great-grandson of the immortal Franklin, was for many years professor of chemistry in the Jefferson Medical college and was also president of the American Philosophical society, the latter being an honor of rare distinction. Before his death he had the pleasure of seeing his work the "U. S. Dispensatory," go into its eleventh edition, a sure tribute to his ability as an author. Soldier of the War of 1812, scholar, writer, scientist and scion of a great name, Franklin Bache was of the coterie of Quaker City fathers who contributed a goodly share to the celebrity of their native land.

Like Bread Upon Water.

Is thy cruse of comfort wasting? Rise and share it with another; then through all the years of famine it shall serve thee and thy brother. Is thy burden hard and heavy? Do thy steps drag wearily? Help to bear thy brother's burden—God will bear both it and thee.—Elizabeth Charles.

Cleans Teeth of Saw.

Saws used for cutting metal are frequently rendered inefficient by reason of the particles of metal adhering to the surface and interfering with the cutting operation. A new invention has a tiny wheel which cleans each tooth of the saw after it has passed through the metal.

Seemingly No Escape.

During life Satire lies about literary men and after death Eulogy does the same.—Voltaire.

Punishment to Fit the Crime.

"Could any one get anything now for a long poem, in the epic form?" asks a correspondent. Well, he might get ten years from the judge—if the judge had to read it.—Atlanta Constitution.

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LOOK FOR THE TAG EVERY PAIR. MADE BY
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"A LITTLE NEWSY NEWS OF IMPORTANCE"

To show the trend that the automobile industry is fast increasing, and is the third largest manufacturing industry in the world, proves that the automobile has become a necessity, not a luxury.

The MOON MOTOR CAR CO., of St. Louis, have just had a meeting of the distributors and district sales managers for the MOON MOTOR CAR CO., of St. Louis to review 1922, and to make sales and advertising preparation for 1923. The gathering was a very enthusiastic one as the automobile industry has enjoyed exceptional business, and its dealers and distributors are overjoyed with the exceptional beauty and value that the MOON cars carry with them.

At this meeting, the President of the Company, Mr. Steward McDonald reported many thousand cars sold, and positive specific shipping instructions for the months of December, January and February.

The MOON MOTOR CAR CO. today has a production of 1250 cars per month. One can readily see the future as well as the past satisfied customers in owning MOON automobiles.

Robert L. Derrick, who is the distributor for this territory is more than [illegible] of the wonderful success on Moon's car in this territory. Having years of experience in the automobile business, and knowing that service is imperative, therefore is ready to co-operate with all future prospects in purchase of new cars.

Boone Tree Named.

The "Daniel Boone Judgment tree," an elm, at Femme Osage, 35 miles west of St. Louis, has been nominated for a place in the Hall of Fame for trees. The tree stands upon a farm tilled by Boone in 1820.

The Sufferers.

Lois was the daughter of a singer. When she played with other children she wanted to play the things she knew most about. One day she said to a little friend, "Let's have a concert I'll be the singer and you be the audience." "What is audience?" "Why don't you know? They are the one who can't do it," said Lois.

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Tom Sims SAYS---

"Ladies First" is the men's slogan when it is dishwashing time.

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Bathing too often is dangerous. In Louisville, Ky., a man slipped on the soap and broke his arm.

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A Cincinnati man who expected a street car to detour around his auto will recover, doctors think.

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Think you know is never as important as knowing you think.

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Sleep is a great thing. It keeps some people from cussing the government 24 hours a day.

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Money is not very important unless you haven't any.

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"Don't Worry" make a better motto when you add "Others."

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The most dangerous word in this language of ours is "yes."

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The rumor that Germany is collapsing is four years old now.

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With 40 million other things to hope for some still insist on hoping the ex-kaiser's wife beats him.

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A traveler tells us he can't sleep at home unless they rock the bed and throw cinders in his face.

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This world seems worse than it is because you never hear much about the bad things that don't happen.

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Stand on your own rights and you can't be told where to get off.

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The best nation in the world is explanation.

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Just to be the first for 1923 we say "Shop Early."

French Named Two Textiles.

Two textiles owe their names to France. They are cretonne and cambric, the first of which came from the Normandy town of Creton while the second is still manufactured a Cambral.

Accounting for Thunderstorms.

Little Frances had lived in an apartment for some time and was greatly interested when the family upstairs moved. Several weeks later, during a severe thunderstorm, she suddenly said to her mother, "Mother, is some one moving up in the sky?"

Mere Possession Not Sufficient.

No house, hotel or ship should be without a good dictionary, but not necessarily a ponderous one. It is indispensable. But the possession of a dictionary is not sufficient. You must use it.

Send in Your Red Envelope

Ivory Carving in Far North.

One of the most widely followed professions in the Far North is that of the ivory carver, and it is not only an industry, but a pastime as well, filling many of the long evenings of the long arctic winter. The Eskimos have never attained the perfection of the Chinese artisans, due partly to the greater crudity of their methods and partly to the fact that they use the ivory of the walrus instead of that of the elephant.—New York Sun.

Salt in the Oceans.

If a box six feet deep were filled with sea water and allowed to evaporate there would be two inches of salt left on the bottom of the box. Taking the average depth of the oceans of the world to be three miles, there would be a layer of salt 230 feet thick over the entire bed should the water evaporate.

Time for Action.

A young woman in distress writes: "We sent out 60 wedding invitations and only nine presents have been received. What shall we do?" How unresourceful you young people are! Get busy and rush out a follow-up letter.—Boston Transcript.

Dogs and Men.

"There are many inequalities in this life," observed Mr. Grumpson. "Some dogs wear diamond-studded collars and others merely get a can tied to their tails. Except that they have no caudal appendages, men fare pretty much the same way."

Hesitancy.

"Ef'n yo'all got t' fight, anyhow," said Charcoal Eph, in a mood, "pick out a little feller an' hit him when he ain't lookin'. Luck don't favor no man dat go roun' requestin' trouble."—Richmond Times-Dispatch.

Ink 3,500 Years Old.

A sample of dried black ink from an inkstand of the time of Amenhotep III, 3,500 years ago, has been analyzed. The ink contained no iron, its pigment being entirely of carbon.

Cultivate Self-Confidence.

Ability often misses success through lack of courage to try.

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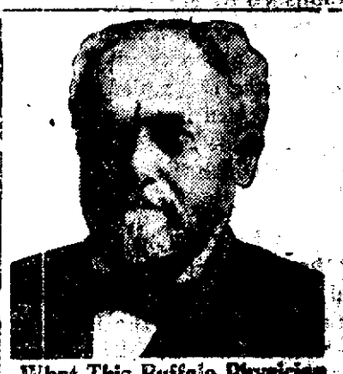

What This Buffalo Physician Has Done For Humanity

The picture which appears here of Dr. Pierce of Buffalo, N. Y., was taken in 1910. As a young man Dr. Pierce practised medicine in Pennsylvania and was known far and wide for his great success in alleviating disease. He early moved to Buffalo and put up in ready-to-use form, his Golden Medical Discovery, the well-known tonic for the blood. This strength-builder is made from a formula which Dr. Pierce found most effective in diseases of the blood. It contains no alcohol and is an extract of native roots with the ingredients plainly stated on the wrapper. Good red blood, vim, vigor and vitality are sure to follow if you take this Alterative Extract. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery clears away pimples and annoying eruptions and tends to keep the complexion fresh and clear. This Discovery corrects the disordered conditions in a sick stomach, aids digestion, acts as a tonic and purifies the blood. Write Dr. Pierce's Invalids Hotel in Buffalo, N. Y., and receive confidential medical advice without charge. All druggists sell Discovery, tablets or liquid. Send 10c for trial pkg.

When a pulley breaks,—or a bearing goes down,—or a shaft gets a kink in it,—or any of those other things happen that bust up your production, doesn't it kind of cheer you up to remember that

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Why the "Morning Grouch?"

Many people awake feeling irritable and nervous—and are annoyed at trifles they wouldn't notice at any other time.

This nervous, irritable feeling lasts until after they have had their cup of coffee—sometimes it takes the second cup.

The reason for this is simple; their nerves are crying out for the caffeine contained in the coffee they crave.

And now, if this "strikes home," ask yourself why you should not quit a habit that makes you nervous and irritable.

Be your natural self; try doing without coffee for a week or so—and drink rich, fragrant Postum instead.

Postum is a pure cereal beverage—refreshing and satisfying, yet absolutely free from caffeine or other harmful ingredients.

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Governor Sproul's report of four years of activity in government circles is indeed a good showing. We need not recount the many things accomplished which were moves in the right direction. Not alone were many things done that win praise and commendation for the governor but many movements were started by that far-seeing executive which will be finished by Mr. Pinchot.

Events come with such frequency and our memory is so short that probably all of us had forgotten all about a great many of the accomplishments of the last four years until they were reviewed in the report. It is indeed fitting that the report was made and the new administration will find it a groundwork on which it can build.

The Progress hears a great many echos from various parts of the county concerning preparations for the coming municipal elections. Good citizens are determined to put into the office of Justice of the Peace and Constable men who are not identified with the liquor interests or the bootlegging fraternity, and are already looking around for good material.

It is the best thing that citizens have undertaken to do in many years. Time was when a 'Squire was looked upon as a wise and effective upholder of the law, and the Constable was not satisfied until his bailiwick was cleared of offenders. This is true in some districts yet today but they are the exception rather than the rule.

It is admitted that local authorities are in a position where it is hard for them to cope with the bootlegger and the moonshiner. If the Constable is known to be a law enforcing officer that slippery, slimy criminal who sells blindness and death, will avoid him. Likewise he will avoid doing any business in the open and on a large scale.

Districts having law enforcing officers have less bootlegging and moonshining than any others by reason thereof.

Do not censure your Constable or your Justice of the Peace simply because there is bootlegging and moonshining going on in their bailiwick. They may be helpless to stop it.

Resolve to remove those officials who, by their habits and their associations, show themselves to be in sympathy with the illegal liquor traffic.

Unless this distinction is drawn you may be punishing the best of men who are doing what they can but, because of circumstances, not getting noticeable results.

You know your men. Are they sympathetic to the enforcement of the dry laws? Do they aid the federal officers? Have they assisted the county authorities?

Find the answer to these questions and then act.

The legislature of this state never performed a better service than they did when thy decreed that each county of our size should have a County Controller; a man to O. K. all bills before they are paid.

The old system of auditing after the bills were paid was like locking the door after the horse was stolen. Under that old system practices grew up for which there was no authority whatever and various officials were allowed costs and fees simply because his predecessor got them.

Naturally every office holder working on the fee sytem, as they did then, charged up everything in sight, and how could you blame them? Precedent was established. It was not for him to question his own right to what had been paid somebody else.

If this county had had a County Controller five years before it did there would have been no litigation between ex-Sheriff Gorman and the county.

PERSONAL SERVICE

The old time idea of a bank as a chilly place for all but the wealthy, is a thing of the past.

The modern bank is a place where the business of the modest depositor is welcomed; wheer the officers are easily accessible at all times.

The County National is a modern bank. The officers are always glad to meet the people and to give personal attention to their business.

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A. K. WRIGHT, Vice-President.
R. I. FULTON, Cashier.
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HOW TO KEEP YOUR BABY WELL

A Weekly Talk To Mothers Issued Through The Babies' Prophylactic Clinic, Henry Phipps Institution, 7th and Lombard Streets.

TOYS FOR CHILDREN.

Play has such a great influence on a child, that the selection of suitable toys is a more serious problem than you usually suppose.

When you step into a toy shop, particularly at the Christmas holiday season, you see so many beautiful and interesting toys that you are bewildered and do not know which to choose.

In buying toys you must think of more than just what will amuse and please your child. You must consider what is really good for him, how useful it will be, and how long it will last. Remember your child's needs differ at the various stages of his development.

When he is very young he likes toys that will exercise his muscles. He likes things that wiggle their heads or that make smooth, silky, woolen animals are better than fuzzy, wooly ones. As your child begins to walk, he likes things that can be pulled around on a string. Later on, get him beads and mosaic blocks and kneading clay and tools and games that can be used outdoors.

Toys need not be expensive. They do not need to be life-like from the adult's point of view. Mechanical toys and dressed dolls are not really the best of toys. Select things that children can build and construct for themselves, things that will make them use their brains and fingers.

Dolls that can be dressed and undressed and loved are what little girls like. The ones that are too beautiful except for special occasions never win a child's heart.

Buy your child toys that will make interesting games for him. Do not get him a lot of things that have no connection with each other. Little by little, fit out a grocery store or a doll's house. Get scales that will weigh and measure, and furniture that will really hold the dolls.

Get the best toys you can, even if you buy only a few at a time, but see that they are selected to help your child grow in activity, inventive qualities, imagination and skill.

TODAY'S STOCKS

American Hide & Leather	67¼
American Locomotive	127
Baldwin Loco	137⅛
Baltimore & Ohio	42⅝
Bethlehem B.	63⅝
Crucible Steel	71⅛
General Motors	14¾
Great Northern Ry	73
Lehigh Valley	61
Middle States Oil	11⅜
Midvale Steel	29
N. Y. C.	95
Pennsylvania	43⅝
Sinclair Oil	34⅝
St Lebo'r	116⅞
Texas Co	48½
U. S. Steel	106⅛
Willys Overland	7

LIBERTY BONDS CLOSING

Liberty 3½'s	100.94
Liberty 2nd 4's	5½
Liberty 2nd 4¼'s	98.42
Liberty 3rd 4¼	98.98
Liberty 4th 4¼'s	98.88
Victory 4¾'s	$100.30

Many Brides Are Perjurers.

Perjury is declared to be quite common among women applying for a marriage license. According to the license clerk's estimate one out of every five brides-to-be purposely gives the wrong name or address.

Helpful Precepts.

I have no precept more wide or valuable than this: Cultivate self help; do not seek or like to be dependent upon others for what you can yourself supply, and keep down as much as you can the standard of your wants for in this lies a great secret of manliness true wealth, and happiness; as on the other hand, the multiplication of our wants makes us effeminate and slavish, as well as selfish.—William Ewart Gladstone.

Philosophical Youngster.

Mother was entertaining a former schoolmate at a luncheon when Bobby entered the room with dirty face, stockings torn and cap all mud. Mother was angry. Margaret Ann said: "Don't worry, mother. That happens in the best regulated families."

Fox's Keen Scent.

A fox can scent a man a quarter of a mile away.

To Be a Means.

More happiness is in itself an insufficient aim. Devotion to some cause gives us a motive beyond this, and raises us to a means, which (in a world where there is so much to be done) is far nobler than to be an end.—James Ram.

Had Her Lesson Perfect.

A little girl was told that polite people did not talk about their ailments in company, or outside the family. So when a visitor asked her if she was well, she said, "Well, in the family I have stomach ache and other complaints, but in company I am quite well, thank you."

Statement of the
BITUMINOUS NATIONAL BANK
AT WINBURNE, PA.

at the close of business Dec. 29, 1922.

Resources		
Loans & Discounts		250,071.09
U. S. Government Securities		62,250.00
Other Bonds and Securities		220,394.14
Overdrafts		1,001.18
Banking House, Fur. & Fixtures		8,500.00
Reserve with Federal Reserve Bank		39,542.89
Cash & Due from Banks		171,663.29
Cash Items		923.59
Redemption Fund With U. S. Treasurer		2,500.00
		756,397.07
Liabilities		
Capital Stock		50,000.00
Surplus		40,000.00
Undivided Profits		9,808.54
Circulation		50,000..00
Certified Checks		200.00
Cashier's Checks		2,562.96
Deposits		
Individual	235,538.43	
Certif. of Deposit	9,738.54	
Other Demand Deposits	7,507.71	
Time Deposits	351,040.89	603,825.57
		756,397.07

I, Walter Stewart, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

WALTER STEWART
Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 3rd da yof January, 1923.

W. D. DUKEMAN
Notary Public
(My commission expires Mar 12, '25)

Correct Attest:
R. H. SOMMERVILLE
H. G. JONES
R. H. GEORGE
Directors

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R. H. George.
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Jacob Smutzinger.
A. E. Hess.
Walter Stewart.
A. J. Peterson.

Condensed Report Of
THE CLEARFIELD TRUST COMPANY
Clearfield, Pa.

Made to the Commissioner of Banking Dec. 30, 1922

RESOURCES		
Liberty Loan Bonds and U. S. Govt. Certificates of Indebtedness		$132,042.30
Other Investments		2,615,653.23
Cash on hand		116,699.07
Cash in Banks		301,252.84
Overdrafts		702.44
		$3,166,349.88
LIABILITIES		
Capital		$ 150,000.00
Surplus and Undivided Profits		345,403.47
Due to Banks		622.25
Reserved for Taxes, etc.		165.41
Reserved for Depreciation		20,000.00
Deposits		2,645,892.77
Payments received on Subscriptions to 4th Liberty Loan		513.50
Bills Payable		None
Dividends Unpaid		3,752.50
		$3,166,349.88

TRUST DEPARTMENT

Trust Funds Invested	$988,651.59
Trust Funds Uninvested	25,986.73
Overdrafts	NONE
Trustee Under Mortgages	3,531,500.00

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STATEMENT OF THE
COUNTY NATIONAL BANK,
OF CLEARFIELD, PA.,
At the Close of Business
(Condensed from its report to the Comptroller of Currency.)

RESOURCES		
Investments, less demand loans		$5,231,172.35
Overdrafts		1,489.97
United States Bonds		998,415.85
Banking House, Furniture and fixtures		93,030.72
Due from United States Treasurer		25,000.00
Interest earned but not collected		38,693.24
CASH RESOURCES		
Cash on hand	128,254.22	
Due from Banks	754,894.40	
Demand loans on collateral	146,142.00	1,029,290.62
Total		7,417,092.75
LIABILITIES		
Captal Stock	$500,000.00	
Surplus and Net Profits	831,271.11	
		1,331,271.11
Reserved for Interest and Taxes		88,848.23
Circulation		500,000.00
Due to Banks		2,293,84
Dividends Unpaid		298.54
Deposits		5,494.381.07
Total		7,417,092.75

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Statement of the
CLEARFIELD NATIONAL BANK
Clearfield, Penna
Condensed from its report to the Comptroller of the Currency, Dec. 29, 1922.

Resources	
Investments	$1,358,434.14
United States Bonds	219,450.00
Bonds, Securities, Etc.	253,100.00
Bank Building and Fixtures	58,000.00
Overdrafts	1,772.67
Due from Banks	210,934.92
Cash on hand	66,885.72
	$2,168,577.45
Liabilities	
Capital Stock	200,000.00
Surplus Fund	200,000.00
Undivided Profits	88,491.82
Dividends Unpaid	7.06
Circulation	200,000.00
Liberty Loan Payments	1,126.15
Bills Payable	65,000.00
Due to Banks	29,270.59
Due Depositors	1,384,681.89
	$2,168,577.45

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The old-time mixture of Sage Tea and Sulphur for darkening gray, streaked and faded hair is grandmother's recipe, and folks are again using it to keep their hair good, even color, which is quite sensible, as we are being in an age when a youthful appearance is of the greatest advantage.

Nowadays, though, we don't have the troublesome task of gathering the sage and the musty mixing at home. All drug stores sell the ready-to-use product, improved by the addition of other ingredients, called "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound." It is very popular because nobody can discover it has been applied. Simply moisten your comb or a soft brush with it and draw this through your hair, taking one small strand at a time; by morning the gray hair disappears, but what delights the ladies with Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound, is that, besides beautifully darkening the hair after a few applications, it also produces that soft lustre and appearance of abundance which is so attractive.

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The books show that more people have joined our 1923 Xmas Club this year than had joined to a corresponding day last year. There are two reasons for this:

First,—They realize the need of money about the holiday time and recognize in the Christmas Fund a relief from the burden of holiday bills.

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Dorothy Tells Her Story To Sinclair

CHAPTER VII

I said no more, but hastened down stairs to his bidding.

I found the lower hall partly lighted, but none in the rooms.

Entering the library, I lit the gas as Sinlair had requested. Then I tried the conservatory door. It was unlocked. I slid quickly out and moved down the hall to where the light of the one burning jet failed to penetrate. "I will watch from here," thought I.

But before I had turned on my steps more than half a dozen times, times the single but brilliant ray coming from some half-opened door in the rear caught my eye, and I had the curiosity to step back and see if any one was sharing my watch. In doing so I came upon the little spiral staircase which, earlier in the evening, Sinclair had heard creak under some unknown footstep. Had this footstep been Dorothy's and if so, what had brought her into this remote portion of the house? Fear? Anguish? Remorse?

Proceeding further, I stood amazed at my own forgetfulness. The light which had attracted my attention came from the room devoted to the display of Miss Murray's wedding-gifts. This I should have known instantly having had a hand in their arrangement. But all my faculties were dulled that night save such as responded to dread and horror. Before going back I paused to look at the detective whose business it was to guard the room. He was sitting very quietly at his post, and if he saw me he did not look up. Strange that I had forgotten this man when keeping my own vigil above. I doubted if Sinclair had remembered him either. Yet he must have been unconsciously sharing our watch from start to finish; must even have heard the cry as only a waking man could hear it. Should I ask him if this was so? No. Perhaps I had not the courage to hear his answer.

Shortly after my return into the main hall I heard steps on the grand staircase. Looking up, I saw the two girls descending, followed by Sinclair.

As they stepped within the rays of the solitary gas-jet already mentioned, I cast one quick look into Gilbertine's face, then a long one into Dorothy's. I could read neither. While Gilbertine advanced bravely, Dorothy's steps lagged, and at the point where she should have turned into the library, she whirled sharply about and made as if she would fly back up stairs.

But one stare from Gilbertine, one word from Sinclair, recalled her to herself and she passed in and the door closed upon the three. I was left to prevent possible intrusion.

According to Sinclair's description the interview proceeded thus:

As soon as the door had closed upon them, and before either of the girls had a chance to speak, he remarked to Gilbertine:

"I have brought you here because I wish to express to you, in the presence of your cousin, my sympathy for the bereavement which in an instant has robbed you both of a life-long guardian. I also wish to say in the light of this sad event, that I am ready to postpone the ceremony which I hoped would unite our lives today. Your wish shall be my law." Gilbertine thought I would suggest that possibly you never more needed the sympathy and protection which only a husband can give than you do today."

"What do you say, Gilbertine?" he asked earnestly.

"Nothing. I have not thought—it is a question for others to decide—others who know what is right better than I. I appreciate your consideration", she suddenly burst out—"and should be glad to tell you at this moment what to expect; but—give me a little time—let me see you later—in the morning, Mr. Sinclair, after we are all somewhat rested and when I can see you quite alone."

Dorothy rose.

"Shall I go?" she asked.

Sinclair with quiet protest, touched her on the shoulder. Quietly she sank back into her seat.

"I want to say a half dozen words to you Miss Camerden. Gilbertine will pardon us; it is about matters which must be settled tonight. Mrs. Armstrong has instructed me to question you, as the one best acquainted with Mrs. Lansing's affairs and general tastes. We will not trouble Gilbertine. She has her own decisions to reach. Dear will you let me make you comfortable in the conservatory while I talk for five minutes with Dorothy?"

He said she met this question with a look so blank and uncomprehending that he just lifted her and carried her in among the palms.

"I must speak to Dorothy," he pleaded, placing her in a chair.

Then he crossed back to the library, he found Dorothy standing with her hand on the knob of the door leading into the hall. Her head was bent and thoughtful. Sinclair gave her no oportunity for hesitation. Advancing rapidly, he laid his hand quietly on hers, and quietly remarked:

"I must ask you to stay and hear what I have to say. I wished to spare Gilbertine; would that I could spare you. But circumstances forbid. You know and I know that aunt did not die of apoplexy."

She gave a violent start and her lips parted.

"You know!" she echoed trembling and pallid, her hand flying instinctively to her hair.

"Yes; you need not feel about for the little box. I took it from its hiding place when I laid you fainting on the bed. Here it is."

He drew it from his pocket and showed it to her. She hardly glanced at it; her eyes were fixed in terror on his face and her lips seemed to be trying in vain to formulate some inquiry.

He tried to be merciful.

"I missed it many hours ago, from the shelf yonder where you all saw me place it. Had I known that you had taken it, I would have repeated to you how deadly were the contents and how dangerous it was to handle the vial or to let others handle it, much less to put it to the lips."

"Have you looked in that little box since you took it from my hair?" she asked.

"Yes."

"Then you know it to be empty."

For answer he pressed the spring, and the little lid flew open.

"It is not empty now, you see." Then more slowly and with infinite meaning "But the little flask is."

"Where was this vial found?" she demanded.

"In the bed with the old lady. I saw it there myself. Mr. Worthington was with me. Nobody else knows anything about it. I wished to give you an opportunity to explain. I begin to think you can—but how, God only knows. The box was hidden in your hair from early evening. I saw your hand continually fluttering toward it all the time we were dancing in the parlor."

"You are right," she said. "I put it there as soon as I took it from the cabinet. I could think of no safer hiding place. Yes, I took it," she acknowledged as she saw the flush rise to his cheek. "I took it; but with no worse motive than the dishonest one of having for my own an object which bewitched me; I was hardly myself when I snatched it from the shelf and thrust it into my hair."

He stared at her in amazement, her confession and her attitude so completely contradicted each other.

"But I had nothing to do with the vial," she went on. And with this declaration her whole manner, even her voice changed. "This I think it right to make plain to you. I supposed the vial to be in the box when I took it, but when I got to my room and had an opportunity to examine the deadly trinket, I found it empty just as you found it when you took it from my hair. Some one had taken the vial out before my hand had even touched the box."

(END CHAPTER VII

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NEWS OF OUR NEIGHBORS

CURWENSVILLE

William B. Condon, who makes the town of Philipsburg his permanent abiding place, was in Curwensville yesterday forenoon and spent the time in hunting up old time comrades. He was enroute to Reynoldsville to purchase some mine mules.

The new co-operative store is now assured for Curwensville. A number of town and township residents have subscribed for stock ranging in sums from $100 to $1,000. The store will be opened in the north room of the Central hotel, and will do business at that point until a more commodious place can be had in the central part of State street.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Fleming, residents of Grampian, are the proud parents of a pair of twin boys, which the stork left at their home on Sunday night, about the hour when the new year dawned. May the lads grow and prosper in this old hemisphere of ours.

The last season's High School football squad was summoned before Photographer Bonsall yesterday afternoon and had a group picture taken.

Mrs. J. W. McCorkle, of Clearfield, was a visitor in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. C. Fleming several days this week.

Robert Allen, an infant son of Allen C. and Eva W. Passmore, died at the home on Monday night. The funeral was held on Tuesday afternoon Funeral Director Doverspike having charge of the body. Interment in Oak Hill.

Mervel Weaver, who is preparing to enter the ministry, was at his home in this place over the holiday week, returning Monday to Philadelphia to resume his studies.

A square dance was held in the Red Men's rooms on Monday evening at which a large crowd enjoyed the time until the wee sma' hours. A round dance was also pulled off at the Legion rooms at the same time and was quite well attended by those who are partial to that manner of dancing.

Misses Cora Wolf and Elizabeth Wall leave today to return to their studies at Beechwood College, near Philadelphia.

Friday evening the members of the football squad of 1922, with a number of invited guests, will hold a parting banquet, at which time some of the minor players will be presented with a letter to adorn their sweaters. Several of the old-time players will be presented with a gold football in remembrance of their work. Unless something turns up to spoil the program between this date and Friday, a royal, good and jolly time will be the result. Let her go, Gallagher.

Ralph Bennett, who was shot in the hand accidentally by his uncle while out after rabbits several weeks ago, is having a serious time with the wound. He has had several operations, and the end is not yet, as he may possibly lose two or more fingers.

Abe Robinson, a one time merchant of this place, came up from Clearfield yesterday to ascertain how things were running in the old town in a business way.

Mrs. James Rubbi, residing along Bailey road, but within borough limits, had the misfortune to fall on the ice near her home on Monday evening with the result of breaking a small bone in her left ankle.

Martha Angeline Hetrick, 14-year-old daughter of J. K. and Della Hetrick, died at the home of her parents on River street, Monday. The funeral services were held this forenoon at her former home, after which the body was conveyed to DuBois for interment.

Mrs. C. E. Doverspike is confined to her home suffering from a severe cold, contracted while on a visit to her old home at Bethlehem, Pa.

Watt H. Thompson, a native son of old Curwensville, came up from Williamsport Monday and spent several days with relatives. In personal appearance, "Wamby" has not altered a great deal, despite his living down river in a malaria country.

M. J. Kelly, who has been sort of under the weather physically for a number of months, took a turn for the worse the other day and his physicians thought it advisable to take him to Clearfield hospital for treatment, which was done on Monday.

Mrs. Warren Kephart of the South Side entertained a number of her friends at a card party Monday evening. The hostess had made preparations to give her guests a pleasant entertainment, and if one is permitted to judge by the conversation when they were homewad bound, they certainly had it.

Harry Crago, a board member of District No. 2, U. M. W. of A., was over from his Philipsburg home yesterday on business connected with his position. His district is comprised of eight counties. The miners thruout his territory, he said, are working only on an average of about three days a week. Shortage of cars was the direct and only cause for this slack work. There is a great demand for coal all over the country. He is confident, however, that the railroads will loosen up pretty soon and then the supply of cars will be adequate. The mines are all organized in his bailiwick, with the exception, perhaps, of a half dozen or so small operations.

Mrs. Frank Maurey, of Grampian, called on Curwensville friends and acquaintances yesterday.

William McDonald, one of the "setters" at the finishing tannery, while pushing forward a "horse" of leather one day last week made a misstep and bumped his side with sufficient force to fracture several ribs. The accident will compell him to cease work for a week, or perhaps longer.

Misses Gretchen Leib, Margaret Hipps, Jane Teats and Joseph Hipps, four Curwensville young people who are attending Grove City College, and who have been home for several weeks, returned to that institution yesterday to resume their studies.

Tomorrow evening is the date set apart in Pythian circles for the installation of officers of Curwensville lodge No. 486. A light luncheon and smoker will be indulged in after the regular line of lodge work is completed. The district grand chancellor will be present and sort of oversee the installation exercises.

LEAMER—PETERS

Donald B. Leamer of Altoona and Miss Lena Peters of Curwensville were married on Saturday evening at Johnstown by Rev. Dr. C. C. Hays, pastor of First Presbyterian church of that city and moderator of the general assembly of the church. Mr. Leamer is a son of Alderman and Mrs. William C. Leamer of the Twelfth ward, Altoona, and is employed by the Bell Telephone company. His bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Peters of Curwensville.

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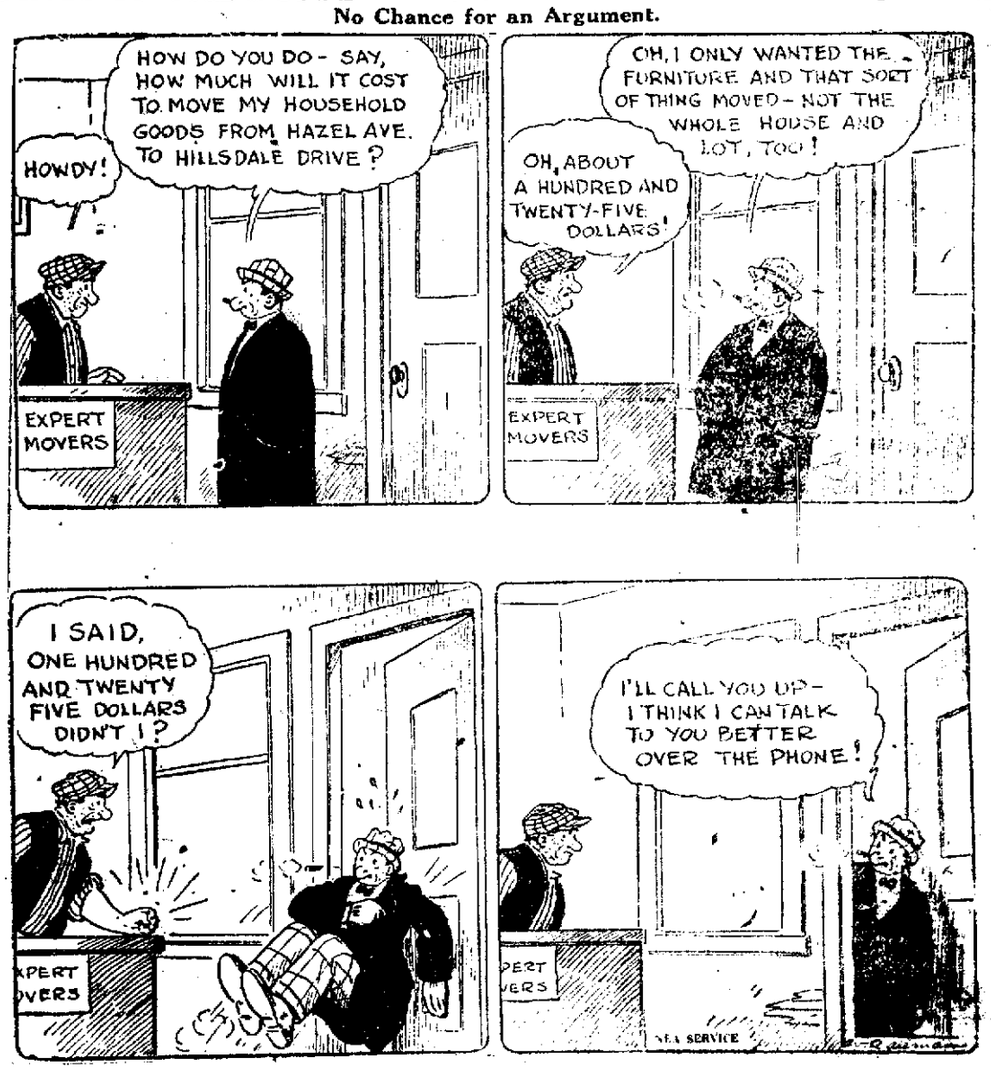

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Gossip For Tonight's Tea Table

Mr. Hollingsworth of Pittsburg was a week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. John Forsythe.

Billy Davis and William Gearhart have returned from Crystal Springs camp where they spent the past few days.

Rembrandt Peale, Esq., and son Richard were Clearfield visitors yesterday.

Albert Wright, Jr., of Philadelphia is spending several days in town.

University of Michigan students returning to Ann Arbor included Ted Betts, Robert and Theodore Kurtz, and Laurence Howe.

Leslie Hallen returned from Philadelphia yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Preston Croyle of Williamsburg are visiting Mr. Croyle's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Croyle.

R. S. Heberling, Sandy township assessor, and George Warrender, assessor of Osceola borough, made their returns to the County Commissioners today.

The employees of the Electric Supply Co. were entertained at dinner on Monday evening.

Miss Isabel Coleman of Williamsport was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Johnson.

Dr. and Mrs. Reilly are being congratulated on the birth of a daughter on Monday.

Fred J. Dyer of Curwensville transacted business here yesterday.

Bill Buckley of Lorraine, Ohio, has returned home, having visited his sister, Mrs. Johnson.

Miss Mary Chase has returned to the University of Michigan, where she is a student.

Misses Jane Hagerty, Lulu Tobias, and Gladys Cooper have returned to Dickinson College.

Mrs. C. S. Russell of Curwensville spent Tuesday in town.

Miss Dolly Howenstine and Ted Wright, who spent the Christmas holidays with Mr. Wright's parents, have returned to Johnstown.

Bishop Shaw has returned to Dickinson College.

Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Betts have gone to Harrisburg.

Miss Ona Froyd has returned to Kane.

Miss Catherine Way and Miss Josephine Lytle have returned to Philadelphia, where they are students at Drexel Institute.

Miss Katherine Moore has returned to Virginia where she is attending one of the Southern schools.

Fred Em has returned from Syracuse where he spent the holidays.

Thos. J. Patton has returned from a visit to Pittsburg.

Raymond Schneid has arrived from Syracuse to take over the duties of superintendent of the American Nickel Corporation's plant at Hyde.

William Muntz has returned from Buffalo, where he spent the holiday season.

Dr. and Mrs. Shivery of Woodland have returned home from Florida and Cuba.

Miss Helen Philips entertained at a drop-in Saturday evening in honor of Miss Helen Grant of Inditna, who is the house guest of Miss Catherine Eisenhauer.

Miss Ruth Reiter and Miss Miriam Brown of Karthaus returned to Indiana Normal yesterday.

Miss Grace Bloom, a teacher in the Johnstown schools, has returned after spending the holiday vacation with her mother.

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Thought From "Poor Richard."

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For God's sake, love somebody, something, some ideal, anything besides self. Love is the uplifter.—Forbes Magazine (N. Y.).

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Fuel Hint—When you get a cinder in your eye, run home and put it in the coalbin.—Toledo News-Bee.

Economy hint: Read Progress Ads.

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When you are suffering with rheumatism so you can hardly get around just try Red Pepper Rub and you will have the quickest relief known.

Nothing has such concentrated, penetrating heat as red peppers. Instant relief. Just as soon as you apply Red Pepper Rub you feel the tingling heat. In three minutes it warms the sore spot through and through. Frees the blood circulation, breaks up the congestion—and the old rheumatism torture is gone.

Rowles Red Pepper Rub, made from red peppers, costs little at any drug store. Get a jar at once. Use it for lumbago, neuritis, backache, stiff neck, sore muscles, colds in chest. Almost instant relief awaits you. Be sure to get the genuine, with the name Rowles on each package.

Ouch! Rub Backache, Stiffness, Lumbago

Rub Pain from back with small trial bottle of old "St. Jacobs Oil."

Back hurt you? Can't straighten up without feeling sudden pains, sharp aches and twinges? Now listen! That's lumbago, sciatica or maybe from a strain, and you'll get relief the moment you rub your back with soothing, penetrating "St. Jacobs Oil." Nothing else takes out soreness, lameness and stiffness so quickly. You simply rub it on your back and out comes the pain. It is harmless and doesn't burn the skin.

Limber up! Don't suffer! Get a small trial bottle of old, honest "St. Jacobs Oil" from any drug store, and after using it just once, you'll forget that you ever had backache, lumbago or sciatica, because your back will never hurt or cause any more misery. It never disappoints and has been recommended for 60 years.

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Thousands of people in this community have used

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—Or did the old alarm clock fail you on this first work day of the new year?

This is headquarters for Alarm Clocks.

Everybody needs an alarm clock in this busy business world.

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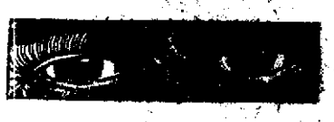

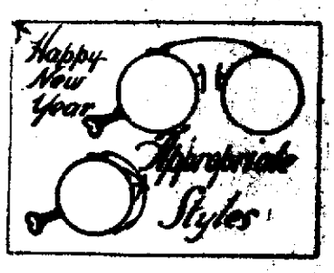

The New Year brings new styles and designs in glasses as in everything else. We maintain an up-to-the-minute service in the matter of late styles. Happy New Year to all.

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You are prompt to respond to the ring of your phone. The very idea that some one has a personal message for you intrigues your interest.

Has it ever occurred to you that back of every advertisement in this paper there is some one with a **personal message** for you? More often than not these advertisements were written with you in mind. It is impossible for most merchants and manufacturers to give you a phone call about their goods, their wares or their services. So they **pay** us for the privilege of calling these things to your attention in our advertising columns.

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Don't lay this paper aside, today, without reading the advertisements.

They are personal calls for you.

WE CAN'T TELL YOU ABOUT ALL THE GOOD THINGS WE HAVE IN OUR STORE

It is not a "one thing" store. People come here to look over our fruits, vegetables and delicacies to plan their dinners.

We can help you decide what to serve.

No doubt you are tired of sweets. What we have will be real appetizers.

THORN BROS.

ARE YOU READY FOR A SUDDEN BREAK-UP

This is a beautiful day, but it may be the beginning of grippy weather. Disease is prevalent and every household should be prepared for a sudden sickness in the night.

HOT WATER BOTTLES —are indispensible.

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THE QUESTION OF THE HOUR IS "IS THAT BLAME CLOCK RIGHT?"

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THE WEATHER
Unsettled. Probably rain changing to snow late tonight or Thursday. Colder.

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STATE SUPREME COURT CLEANS UP ENTIRE CALENDAR

Philadelphia, Jan. 3.—The State Supreme Court convened in this city today for its regular session of the winter and the court handed down a large batch of decisions, mostly in the county of Allegheny and other counties in the western part of the state.

At the conclusion of the reading of the decision, Chief Justice Robert von Moschzisker, addressing the crowded court room, announced that "it gives me pleasure to say that all pending cases before the court have been decided with the handing down of these decisions and the court starts the New Year with a clean calendar.

HERRIN STRIKERS INCITED TO RIOT SAYS THE DEFENSE

Marion, Ill., Jan. 3.—Guards at the Lester strip mines fired into crowds of union sympathizers the day previous to the Herrin massacre, Renfrou, defense witness testified today in the trial of five men accused of participation in the killing.

Crowds of men, women and children were in the fields surrounding the mines the day previous to the killing of the strike breakers, Renfrou declared. "I was standing on the dump of a nearby mine and saw smoke from shooting issue from the strip mines and I could see puffs of dust rising among the people."

Many persons in the crowd were killed in the shooting that day and defense attorney sought to show that this incited the sympathizers to the massacre of twenty non-union workers the next day.

PENSION BILL FOR CIVIL AND SPANISH VETERANS VETOED

Washington, Jan. 3.—President Harding today vetoed the Bursum bill providing for an increase in pensions of Civil and Spanish war veterans and their widows.

The financial budget burdens of the country are too great to be further increased, the President held. The President objected to the bill as an "outright bestowal" upon the government pension roll with a heedlessness for the government financial problem, which is a discouragement to every effort to reduce expenditures and thereby reduce the volume of taxes.

Brooklyn Gangster Found Shot; Will Not Name Slayers

New York, Jan. 3.—A tragedy of the underworld came to light today when William Lovitt, called by the police the leader of the "Brooklyn white hand gang," was found in a rooming house on the water front near death from three bullet wounds near the heart.

"This is the game of give and take," he gasped as he was picked up. "When we get it we take it." He refused to betray the names of his assailants. The shooting, he said, occurred in the street. The police then carried him into the building and put him to bed.

Police believe that Lovitt's "exit" was plotted by other members of his gang, which was split over international politics. They fear a renewed outbreak of the fighting which has been going on recently.

Raymond Otter, a student at the Carnegie Institute of Technology, has returned to Pittsburg where he will resume his studies after spending his Christmas vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Otter.

Bish Lansberry, the mayor of "Bishtown," was in from his Bradford township metropolis on a business mission today.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Ellis returned last evening from Baltimore, Md., where they spent New Years with friends.

FORMER SPEAKER OF HOUSE, WHITTAKER, DIES IN HOTEL ROOM

Harrisburg, Jan. 3.—Maj. Samuel A. Whitaker, member of the House from the new Second Chester District and speaker during the final week of the session of 1921, was found dead in his room at the Governor hotel shortly after 4 o'clock yesterday by Margaret Ross, a hotel employe. It is believed he died from heart disease last night, as he was fully dressed except his collar was open. When found he was lying across the bed.

Maj. Whitaker came here from his home late Monday and registered at the hotel about 6 o'clock. He was seen about the corridors during the evening, but did not attend the Republican caucus. His absence from the organization of the House yesterday caused considerable comment, but it was supposed he had been called out of town. News of his death came to the Capitol shortly after the houses had adjourned and there were many expressions of regret, as Maj. Whitaker was personally very popular with legislators. President T. L. Eyre of the Senate, a friend for many years, voiced much sorrow and Secretary W. Harry Baker of the Senate took charge of the body, telegraphing the major's home, where the body was sent tonight. Speaker C. J. Goodnough will decide what steps should be taken by the House.

Status Is Affected.

While Maj. Whitaker was elected a member from the Second Chester District as colleague of Miss Martha G. Thomas, the fact that he was not present to take the oath affects his status as a legislator and it is doubtful whether his estate would receive the salary. Owing to his long service in the House and the fact that he died at this time the House will honor him.

The Chester county legislator was a member of a prominent family, being a relative of Judge J. Whitaker Thompson and the late Gov. Samuel W. Pennypacker. He was born February 15, 1876, in Phoenixville. He was educated at the University of Pennsylvania and had been practicing law for years. For years Maj. Whitaker was connected with the National Guard and served on the Mexican border and in France and Belgium as captain of Battery C, One Hundred and Seventh Field Artillery, a part of the Twenty-eighth Division. He was appointed a major a few years ago.

Elected in 1913.

The legislative service of Maj. Whitaker began with the 1913 session and he served in all except that of 1919, having been in France when the election was held for that year. He was chairman of the Corporations Committee last session and on April 25, during the "rump" session of the House, was elected speaker.

Senator J. O. Clark, Indiana, and Representative Isaac M. Chaplin, Cambria, saw him Monday night at the hotel and said he complained of feeling sick, remarking to Mr. Chaplin that he had been troubled with heart disease.

Coroner Makes Investigation.

Coroner J. H. Kreider tonight expressed the belief Maj. Whitaker died about 8 o'clock yesterday morning. The Major is said to have retired early and had likely been taken ill and become unconscious last night. Several people about the hotel heard him complain of heart trouble. The maid looked in the room several times during the day, but seeing him lying on the bed thought he was sleeping. Maj. Whitaker was appointed on the Rules Committee of the House yesterday.

HEN WITH A WOODEN LEG

London (By Mail to United Press)—A message from St. Clears, Carmarthenshire says that a hen on a neighboring farm met with an accident which necessitated the amputation of its leg. An amateur veterinary surgeon successfully performed the operation and then replaced the lost limb with a little wooden leg. The hen is now able to strut around the yard.

Gives Employes His Business

Henry A. Dix of the firm of H. A. Dix & Sons, New York City, has just given his entire business, which yields a revenue of over $1,000,000 a year, to his employes. Dix and his son have withdrawn from financial control. All profits will go to the workers

TODAY'S GUESSES ON WHO WILL MAKE UP THE PINCHOT CABINET

HARRISBURG, Pa., Jan. 3.—Governor-elect Gifford Pinchot was here today for a conference with State Officials on the budget. He refused to discuss his Cabinet but information from high officials indicated it may be as follows:

Attorney General, District Attorney Rowan of Philadelphia, or George Woodruff of Warren.

Highway Commissioner, M. L. McCreight of DuBois, or William H. Connell of Philadelphia.

Health Commissioner, Dr. Stanley Rhinehart of Pittsburgh, husband of Mary Roberts Rhinehart, author.

Commissioner of Welfare, Dr. Potter of Philadelphia.

Agriculture, Fred Rasmussen of State College.

Secretary of the Commonwealth, John H. Fisher of Indiana.

Education, Thomas E. Finnegan of Harrisburg.

Adjutant General, Frank D. Beary of Norristown.

HARVEY LAYS TALE OF EUROPE'S WOE BEFORE PRESIDENT

Washington, Jan. 3.—Important conferences on America's move to solve the critical European economic situation began here today between Col. George Harvey, ambassador to Great Britain, and high administration officials.

As another attempt of Europe to solve its own problem seemed a near failure because of the widely divergent views of the French and British, Harvey, summoned from his post because of America's decision to intervene in Europe, gave President Harding and Secretary of State Hughes a first-hand report on the grave economic situation in Europe.

It is then assumed that President Harding and the administration leaders will map out a course of action for the United States in the event that Europe's final attempt to settle the reparation question through the French conference fails.

BRITISH TO QUIT PREMIER'S MEET IF FRANCE SITS TIGHT

Paris, Jan. 3.—The British delegation to the allied premiers' conference will withdraw tomorrow if Premier Poincare insists upon the French reparation plan as the sole basis for discussion, it was announced today.

President Millerand of France summoned an extraordinary meeting of the cabinet council for eleven o'clock this morning to consider the situation.

The cabinet voted that the British plan for reducing the German payment to fifty billion gold marks with a four year payment and no coercion was "absolutely unacceptable."

Misses Dorothy Schenck and Rebecca Ferguson spent the week-end with friends in Philipsburg.

Martial Law Will Be Declared In Moorehouse Parish, It Is Believed

Mer Rouge, La. Jan. 3.—Martial law will be declared in Morehouse Parish to prevent further terrorism and coercion of witnesses who are to testify against the masked murderers of Watt Daniels and Thomas Richards, according to authoritative information here today.

WILL BANQUET FRIDAY NIGHT

The men of the West Side Methodist church will dine at Jordan's Hotel at 7:15 Friday evening next. The energetic committee in charge have been working hard to make this meeting a highly successful one and have induced President John W. Long, of Dickinson Seminary to come to Clearfield and address the assemblage which in itself alone is treat enough to warrant a record attendance.

SCOUT NOTICE

The postponed house committee meeting of all troops will be held Saturday morning at 10:30 in the headquarters. This is a meeting which will effect the policy for the coming year and it is imperative that both captains and members of this committee observe this notice. The business of renovating the building is now on in earnest and the committee is responsible for its prompt accomplishment.

The first staff meeting of the new year will be held on Monday, the regular evening, at 7:15. A complete attendance is so rare and yet so necessary that captains and lieutenants are asked to consider this an absolute engagement. It is held early in order not to consume the entire evening.

Scott Norris, Jr., returned to Pittsburgh after spending a few days with local friends.

MERRILL STREET MURDERER OF '14 ADJUDGED INSANE

Sheriff Thomas J. Lowell, assisted by Chief of Police McMullen, conveyed James Litz of Curwensville, to the Western Penitentiary at Pittsburg last week, where Litz began his seven to nine year sentence to the "pen."

While at the penitentiary Sheriff Lowell took charge of Paul Carro, of Clearfield, and John Shulskey, of DuBois, Clearfield county prisoners, who had been adjudged insane, and removed the two men to the state asylum for the criminal insane located at Farview, Wayne county.

Carro was convicted in the Clearfield county courts of the killing of Anthony Matasero and sentenced to serve eighteen years in the penitentiary. The murder occurred on Merrill street, Clearfield, on Sunday, April 19th, 1914. Carro and Ralph Mastrianno did the job. They were captured in the woods on Coal Hill a few hours after the crime. Mastrianno was given six years in the penitentiary. Carro, who has served seven years of his long term, has been an especially troublesome prisoner during all his imprisonment, his keepers declaring he has broken mentally under the strain of his confinement.

Shulskey was serving a four year sentence for breaking and entering. He has also given the prison authorities a lot of trouble since being sent to Pittsburg.

LEND A HAND TO THIS MAN'S FAMILY

Ed Rogers of R. F. D. 1, Kittanning, Pa., was one of the patriotic young men who believed that the whole world should join in whipping Germany and doing it quick and he put his belief into action by going to Canada and enlisting. Soon he was wounded and returned to the States where his neck wound developed into a cancer and he died just a couple of weeks ago leaving a $2000 mortgage on his little home where are sheltere his wife and six children. On returning to the states he became naturalized and thereby forfeited any financial help from the British government.

The people of the central and western part of Pennsylvania are going to show their gratitude for such patriotism and high ideals as shown by Ed. Rodgers by subscribing to the "Ed Rogers Fund" at the Farmers's National Bank of Kittanning. Send a contribution at once

Before going "west" Ed Rogers, fully realizing that his end was near and desiring to provide some means for his family, wrote a little booklet entitled "My Experiences as a German Prisoner of War." It is an interesting tale written in a fascinating manner. It is on sale at Stewart's Drug Store, The Irvin Drug Store and at the Sheriff's office. The price is only fifty cents and all the proceeds will go to the "Ed Rogers Fund."

COURT NOTES

Miller & Hartswick, on behalf of Roberts and Schaeffer Co., of Chicago, entered suit in Prothonotary Ralston's office yesterday against the Irvona Coal Company for the purpose of recovering $3981.33 with interest from Nov. 1, 1918. The statement filed with the notice of suit shows that the amount sued for is alleged to be due for plans, specifications and estimates for a tipple, comlete with cross-over dump, weigh hopper, etc., prepared by the Chicago concern for the Coal Company. The itemized bill shows these items making up the bill: For drafting room time, etc, $1334.69; telegrams, $209; Engineering fees, $2558.75.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Wall and family have returned to their home in Harrisburg after spending their vacation with their respective parents.

Helen Passmore has returned to her school in Clearfield.

L. D. McDowell of Dorey street left yesterday for Coatesville to visit W. T. McDowell, his brother, who is very ill.

PRISONER AT JAIL, VIOLENTLY ILL, IS GRANTED A PAROLE

Mike Titanic, the Brisbin moonshiner, can count 1922 as his unlucky year. Mike ran foul of the law for manufacturing and selling moonshine on July 3d last and remained in jail from that time until his friends bailed him out on December 4th. On December 28th he was sentenced to pay $100 fine and costs and serve 12 months in jail, with provision for a parole at the end of six months.

On December 30th Mike was seized with such terrific pains in his abdominal region that four fellow bootleggers enjoying the county's bounty were required to hold him on his cot until Jail Physician Cowdrick could be summoned and give him relief.

Dr. Cowdrick found Mike in such condition that he ordered his removal at once to the Clearfield hospital, where he was placed under observation to determine the nature of his illness. Yesterday a petition was presented to the Court by Charles Holeweski, a neighbor, setting forth Mike's condition and stating that his friends would pay the fine and costs by popular subscription provided the Court would parole Mike until such time as his physical condition would warrant his serving his jail term.

A sworn statement from Dr. Waterworth, who is examining Mike was attached to the petition, which declared the prisoner to be suffering from a goitre and stomach trouble, the extent of which could not be determined at this time. He stated that Mike's condition was such that it would be dangerous to confine him to jail and recommended that he be paroled for at least six months.

Judge Bell thereupon made an order further paroling Mike for the required six months and directing the District Attorney to inquire into the case and report at February quarter sessions.

Junior High Financiers Start Off New Year By Deposits Of $556.68

The students at the Junior High School are becoming real bank depositors and certainly did not "waste all their substance in riotous living during the recent holiday season. Today, the opening of school after the holiday recess, was "banking day" and considerable rivalry was shown between the girls and the boys as to which class would make the largest deposit. When the final count was had it was found the sterner sex had ungallantly "outfinanced" the ladies. The figures were pretty close at that, however as the grand total of $556.68 for the day was made up of $294.77 from the boys and $261.91 from the girls. The extent of the rivalry will be shown when it is stated that this total is $431.04 greater than that of the same day last year.

Two rows of girls in Miss McLaren's room proved to be real "Hetty Green's" by heading the list with a total contribution of $135.42. Two rows of boys in Miss Mitchell's room were "the Ponzi's" of the school, they being second in the race with a deposit of $120.97.

The banking idea has taken a firm hold on the Junior High pupils who in the fourteen banking days thus far this season have saved and deposited $1,898.79.

EX-SHERIFF LOSES $3,000 IN FEES BY JUDGE'S DECISION

Judge Bell handed down his opinion in the matter of the exceptions taken by the County Commissioners and former Sheriff A. M. Gorman to the reports of the County Auditors for the years 1920 and 1921.

Following the filing of these statements the County Commissioners objected to some of the items allowed the Sheriff by the County Auditors alleging the charges were excessive and illegal.

Sheriff Gorman then also filed exceptions to the report alleging that in some cases the allowance made was below the legal fees.

Argument was heard by Judge Bell several weeks ago, Messrs Smith & Smith, representing Mr. Gorman, while County Solicitor A. H. Woodward represented the County Commissioners. In his opinion Judge Bell defines each disputed item and all together reduces the total charged approximately $3,000.

Musical Comedy Which Visited Here Last Night Way Above The Average

"Listen To Me" at the Drimes Theatre last evening fully justified Manager Hartman in bringing the company here, when it not only pleased a capacity audience but brought out such a crowd that Manager Hartman was forced to turn away more than two hundred persons unable to find either seats or standing room in the big theatre.

The tuneful musical extravaganza furnished opportunity for Barbara Bronell and a capable supporting cast to demonstrate that they were really capable artists.

It was a very creditable performance. The girls were pretty, their costumes gorgeous, the music catchy while the comedy was both plentiful, clean and wholesome.

"Listen To Me" was away above the average of musical comedies hitting this section.

BRADFORD TOWNSHIP HOME SADDENED

Mrs. Robert Hauser, aged about 22 years, who resided in Bradford township in the Shiloh settlement, died at the Clearfield hospital on Monday last as the result of an attack of peritonitis. She is survived by her husband and three small children.

Her mother-in-law, Mrs. David Hauser, who had been nursing the deceased thru her illness, contracted blood poisoning by means of a cut on her finger and is lying at her home in a critical condition, with but little hope for her recovery.

JACKSON DAY DINNER CALLED OFF

The Jackson Day dinner, which had been scheduled to be held at The Dimeling hotel on Monday evening, January 8, 1923, by local Democrats, has been called off because the committee in charge of the arrangements was unable to procure the desired speakers for the occasion.

Figures Show That Marriage Makes Men More Successful

OF 100 MARRIED MEN
59 succeed | 41 fail

OF 100 SINGLE MEN
49 succeed | 51 fail

IS that worldly wise maxim to the effect that "he travels fastest who travels alone" to go the way of other exploded fallacies? Is it, in the modern competitive struggle, the married man who more frequently succeeds?

Statisticians of the Phoenix Mutual Life Insurance Company recently had occasion to study this question, to sift the evidence in hundreds of cases. They found that the married man has the best chance to succeed. Among every hundred married men whose records were examined 59 had advanced so steadily that success was stamped upon their careers. Forty-one had "failed to make the grade." Among the single men, however, the failures outbalanced the successes. Fifty-one made records that were mediocre or worse, while 49 had succeeded.

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WANTED—Girl for general house work. No washing. Bell phone 48, H. & C. 464L. 12|9|tf|ch

WANTED—COAL MINERS. $1.00 PER TON. We pay $1.00 per ton for loading machine cut clean coal 38 in. to 46 in. in heighth no binder. All new equipment in mine. Best of roof and bottom. Drift mine. No trouble. Good houses, shanties and boarding. We work every day regardless of car supply, as we are storing coal. Also want family to run boarding house. J. O. Taylor, Nichola, Pa., on B., R. & P. R. R. 12|29|6t|ch

WANTED—A girl at Palace Hotel. 12|30|3t|ch

WANTED — First class barber. Good wages, steady work. Call or address James Cross, Market street shop, Clearfield, Pa. 1|2|4t|ch

WANTED—Will buy going coal property. Only reasonable price considered. Write full particulars. P. L. Wingert, Punxsutawney, Pa. 1|2 2t|ch

WANTED—To buy a second hand cash register. Write to Box 106, Leconte Mills, Pa. 1|2|4t|p

WANTED—Three or four boarders. Inquire 326 Fourth street. 1|2|1t|pd

WANTED—5 or 6 miners to load machine coal. Steady work. Call R. M. Haney, Bell 'phone 138 J after 6:30 p. m. 1|2|6t|ch

WANTED—A girl to do general office work. One with experience preferred Inquire Progress. 12|30|3t

WANTED—Capable girl for general housework. Mrs. H. P. Kuk, Curwensville, Pa. 12|28|tf.c

WANTED—Man to make railroad ties. James I. Murray, Shawville, Pa. 1|3|3t|pd

WANTED—Two gentlemen to room and board. Must have references. Two squares from Court House. Inquire Progress. 1|3|4t|ch

WANTED—Good boy for inside work. Must be 16 years old. Fine chance to learn trade. Prefer heavy boy. Apply at once to The Progress. 1|3|tf|pd

Territory open for hustlers who can approach and sell direct to automobile owners and who will appreciate connection with and close co-operation of manufacturing company. Only those sincere in their desire to earn large returns through earnest efforts, apply in person or write—"Sales Manager," 1303 Arrott Building, Pittsburg, Pa. 1|3|2t|ch

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Good sound young pony, broken for mine work. Very small. A dandy for a low vein mine. Also one-ton Ford truck, steel dump body with cab complete, nearly new. R. M. Haney, 701 Nichols street. 1|2|6t|c

FOR SALE—Lot of fine shoats. Also some good pigs. Call or address John G. Haines, Woodland, R. D., Pa. 1|2|2t|ch

FOR SALE—Gray reed stroller in good condition. Will sell cheap to quick buyer. 1|2|2t|pd

FOR SALE—House and lot in Curwensville Lot 70x195. Eleven-room house and good location. Almost in center of town. Near school, post office and church. Room on lot for large dwelling. Inquire Progress. 1|2|2t|pd

FOR SALE—Five room house located on West Side. Possession at once to buyer. Inquire West Side Pool Room. 1|3|6t|pd

FOR SALE—A Ford car, 1922 model, in good condition. Will be sold at a reasonable price. Call at 496 10th street. 1|3|4t|pd

Try a Progress Want Ad.

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—On Saturday one black and tan female hound, 18 in. high. When last seen had a heavy leather collar and 1922 license tag. Reward if returned to W. A. Collins. H. & C. phone 266WJ. 1|3|4t|ch

LOST—One adult light overcoat between Curwensville and Clearfield on Saturday night. Finder please return to Progress office. 1|3|1t|pd

LOST—Chain off heavy truck between Curwensville and Clearfield. Finder please call or return to Clearfield Dairy Co. H. & C. phone 261. 1|3|3t|ch

LOST—Black and tan female fox hound. Owner's name on tag. F. C. Evans, Clearfield, Pa. 1|3|4t|pd

LOST—Pair of dark brown Ideal shoes on Market street Saturday last. Finder please notify Progress. 1|3|3t|pd

FOUND—Child's gocart at Driggs theater on Dec. 18th. Owner please call for same and pay for this notice. 1|2|2t|ch

FOUND—A gentleman's heavy gold ring. Owner can have same by calling and proving property and paying for this ad. 1|3|2t|ch

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms Inquire 218½ Pine street. 1|2|tf|ch

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms on Market street, pleasant surroundings. Inquire Progress office. 1|3|1t|ch

ITEMS OF INTEREST

NOTICE

There will be a regular monthly and quarterly meeting of Stockholders in Union Labor Co-operative Association held in 3rd Ward Hose House Hall Wednesday, Jan. 3rd at 7:30 p. m. for election of officers for this year.

Yours for Co-operation,
J. A. BRETH,
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ANNUAL MEETING OF THE CLEARFIELD COUNTY AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY

The Clearfield County Agricultural Society will hold an Annual Meeting in the Court House, Clearfield, Pennsylvania, January 17th, 1923, at 10:00 a. m., and 1:30 p. m. The election of Officers and Committee, and the report of the Fair, will be given at this meeting.

Any community desiring to hold Local Farmers Institute this Winter, bring your application to this meeting, or send it to the Farm Bureau, Clearfield, Pennsylvania. Yearly dues twenty-five cents per member.

Attest:
Fred B. Reed, Secretary.
Harrison Straw, President.
13|4t|c

NOTICE

The Ladies Aid of Trinity M. E. church will hold business meeting Thursday Jan. 4th at 3 o'clock, followed by lunch. Menu: Escalloped oysters, pepper hash, hot rolls and coffee. 1|3|1t|ch

EXECUTRIX'S NOTICE

Estate of John Bennett late of Pike township, Clearfield County, Penna.

Letters testamentary having been granted the undersigned on the above estate, all persons owing said estate are hereby notified to make immediate payment, while those holding claims against the same will present them duly authenticated for settlement without delay.

SADIE BENNETT,
WALTER BENNETT,
Executors.
Curwensville, Pa., R. F. D. No. 1.
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SECOND WARD HOSE CO. DANCE

The regular weekly dance will be held at the Second Ward Hose House on Thursday evening, Jan. 4th. The hose house has been newly papered and painted and every effort will be made to show patrons a good time. 13|2t|ch

LEITZINGER BROS.
Store Opens at 8 A. M.

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NOTICE TO BONDHOLDERS

Holders of Clearfield Borough Improvement Bonds, issue of 1914, Nos. 1, 2, 3, 6, 8, 9, 10, 11, 13, 15, 17, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, of $500 each and Nos. 5, 10, 11, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, of $100 each, will present them to the Clearfield Trust Company, Treasurer, for redemption as no interest will be allowed on these bonds after this date.

By direction of Council,
J. D. CONNELLY,
Secretary.
Clearfield, Pa., Dec. 29, 1922. 4tc

NOTICE TO HEIRS

In the Orphans' Court for the County of Clearfield.

In the matter of the title of Helen Umerley to Lot No. 325 in the plan of the Borough of Osceola, in the County of Clearfield and State of Pennsylvania.

TO WILLIAM SHANNAHAN AND MORRIS SHANNAHAN, THEIR HEIRS AND LEGAL REPRESENTATIVES, AND TO ALL PERSONS HAVING PRESENT OR EXPECTANT INTEREST IN THE PREMISES:—

Notice is hereby given that Helen Umerley has presented her petition to the Orphan's Court of Clearfield County setting forth, inter alia, that she is the present owner and part in possession of lot No. 325 in the Borough of Osceola, County of Clearfield and State of Pennsylvania, in said petition more fully described; that the title of the said Helen Umerley is defective by reason of the fact that William Shannahan and Morris Shannahan, each entitled to an undivided one-fifth (1|5) interest in the same have been absent and unheard from for a period of 56 years and upwards; that after careful search by the petitioner she is unable to locate the said William Shannahan and Morris Shannahan; whereupon the said Orphans' Court of Clearfield County upon due consideration has directed that a citation be issued to the said William Shannahan and Morris Shannahan, their heirs and legal representatives and to all persons having present or expectant interest in the said premises to appear on the 15th day of January 1923 at 10 o'clock A. M. to show cause why a decree should not be made confirming absolute and complete title, in fee simple, in the said Helen Umerley; the petitioner, to the premises described in the said petition and making the same free and stable forever in the said petitioner, her heirs and assigns forever; and further directing that the said citation be served upon such persons as have known no address by publication in two newspapers of general circulation, printed and published in Clearfield County, Pennsyvania, for six (6) successive weeks. And further that W. Ebridge Brown, Esq., be and is hereby appointed Master to make a full and thorough investigation of the facts and to report to said Court the expediency of granting the prayer of said petition and to submit for final consideration of the Court a form of final decree herein.

THOMAS J. LOWELL,
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NOTICE

In the Orphans Court of Clearfield County.

In re. Estate of Robert Osborn, late of the City of DuBois, Pa., presumed decedent.

Notice is hereby given that a petition has been filed in said Court in said Estate, to have Robert Osborn declared judicially dead according to the Act of Assembly in such case made and provided, the said Robert Osborn having been absent from the place of his last domicile and unheard of for more than seven years, and that the Court has ordered a hearing to be had on said application before the said Court on Monday the 26th day of February, 1923 at 9 o'clock A. M., at which time and place all persons interested may attend and be heard. Said petition is made by Sarah Bogle the sister of said presumed decedent, who would be entitled to received Letters of Administration on said presumed decedent's estate, and who would be entitled to inherit said estate.

MILLER & HARTSWICK,
Attorneys for Sarah Bogle.
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ODDS AND ENDS AND THINGS

By J. D. C.

Here is where your money goes, or where a lot of it went during the year just ended.

Interest on the public debt caused the disbursement of $857,085,715 by the federal government during the eleven months from January to November inclusive, according to the latest official statement by the Treasury Department.

Interest on the debt was the largest single item of government expenditure during the calendar year, 1922, the official statement shows.

The cost of the debt service, like other government costs, is being reduced steadily.

The national debt, mainly represented by Liberty bonds and Victory notes, is largely a heritage of the World War. The debt service and other expenditures of a military nature comprised more than half of the total paid out as ordinary disbursements during the first eleven months of the year.

To maintain the Veterans' Bureau cost the government $422,317,555, or nearly 50 per cent. as much as the debt service.

The Army and the War Department expended the third largest sum, $380,309,189. This, however, includes some disbursements made by the War Department on account of rivers and harbor works not of a military nature.

The Navy Department spent $338,146,927, most of which was for purely naval purposes.

The Interior Department and the Agriculture Department, which render services direct to citizens in no way connected with military purposes, spent sums which stand out in the departmental disbursements. The Agriculture Department expended $117,539,429, and the Interior Department, a total of $324,852,544.

The United States Shipping Board, inherited from the World War, paid out a total of $30,046,584.

Congress cost the government $16,528,311, or less than any other government agency, with the exception of the presidential establishment.

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The following record is a comparison of the more important financial and business figures for the year 1922 as compared with 1921, as compiled by R. G. Dunn & Co.

Bank Clearings—	
1922	$364,970,000,000
1921	329,770,000,000
*Railroad Earnings—	
1922	$4,676,027,000
1921	4,738,189,000
Farm Crops (value)—	
1922	$7,572,890,000
1921	5,729,912,000
Mdse. Exp., 11 mo.—	
1922	$3,491,633,000
1921	4,188,832,000
Net Gold Imp., 11 mo.—	
1922	$214,564,000
1921	638,435,000
Commercial Failures—	
1922	$615,257,000
1921	627,401,000
Bond Sales (par value)—	
1922	$4,130,900,000
1921	3,402,538,000
Stock Sales (shares)—	
1922	262,500,000
1921	173,127,000
Pig Iron Output (tons)—	
†1922	23,793,000
†1921	14,894,000
Unfilled Steel Tonnage—	
1922	6,840,000
1921	4,250,000
Cotton Cons., Bales—	
†1922	5,561,000
†1921	4,896,000
Dun's Index Number—	
1922	$185,462
1921	164,531
°Federal Reserve Ratios—	
1922	80.4%
1921	73.1%

*Gross Earnings.
†11 Months.
°Highest Ratios.

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We believe that if the camp limit for deer was reduced to four bucks for the season and the killing of "spikes" entirely prohibited it would solve the problem of increasing the size of our deer and allow more mature bucks to roam the wilds. Some hunters are asking that the deer season be reduced to one week. That is entirely too short a time; it doesn't give a fellow a chance for enough recreation while it would make it much more dangerous for the deer hunters by crowding all the hunters into the woods during the one week. We propose to give our views to the State Game Commission before the proposed changes are made in the deer law at this session of the legislature. What are you going to do about it?

Privilege Rarely Neglected.
By asking one question a man gives a woman the right to ask questions for the rest of his life.—Boston Transcript.

EXECUTRIX'S NOTICE

Estate of John Buck, late of Cooper township, Clearfield county, Pa., deceased.

Letters testamentary having been granted the undersigned on the above estate, all persons owing said estate are hereby notified to make immediate payment, while those holding claims against the same will present them duly authenticated for settlement without delay.

ANNA BUCK, Executrix,
Grassflat, Pa.
Miller & Hartswick, Attorneys.
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EXECUTOR'S NOTICE

Estate of Mary A. Yothers late of Boggs township, Clearfield County, Pa., deceased.

Letters testamentary having been granted to the undersighed all persons indebted to said estate are hereby urged to make immediate payment, while those having claims against the same will please present them duly authenticated for settlement without delay.

MORRIS SHIMMEL,
Executor.
West Decatur, Pa., Jan. 2, 1923.
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In the Orphans Court of Clearfield County, Pennsylvania.

In re Estate of August Anderson, late of the Borough of Clearfield, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Court as Auditor in the above named Estate to distribute the balance in the hands of the administrator, as per account filed, among those legally entitled to same, notice is hereby given that he will sit for the purpose of his appointment in the office of Boulton, Forsyth & Bell, Kurtz Building, Clearfield, Pa., on Friday, January 19th, at ten o'clock a. m., when and where all persons having claim may be present and be heard, if they so desire.

F. CORTEZ BELL,
Auditor.
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How Much is Freight?

"If the price of farm products is low, freight rates should be in proportion," says Mr. Clyde M. Reed, Chairman Kansas Public Utilities Commission, speaking for the farmers. "Farmers are not entitled to a reduction in rates over other shippers," retorts Mr. C. H. Markham, President of the Illinois Central. And in a masterly way each defends his viewpoint—in next week's issue of

The COUNTRY GENTLEMAN

"But there's a solution," claims Hugh J. Hughes, State Director of Markets in Minnesota; "let each man be his own rate maker."

"If rates are too high to ship hay," continues this able adjudicator, by way of illustration, "feed it locally, where possible, and ship butter."

Perhaps never before have three such timely articles been offered at one time. And this is only a small fraction of the service—entertainment and inspiration, too—which I'll have delivered to you every Thursday in 1923 for only one dollar. My address is below. Let me call today. It places you under no obligation.

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THE BOOK OF 1922 IS CLOSED

For us the year held much of good. Prosperity, work that we love and, best of all, your friendship. Saturday, the 23rd, was the second biggest one-day sales in all the 19 years of our business life. December was a big month. We open the book of 1923 and on the first page we write, "Our New Year's Gift to our Customers Shall Be Full Value at Fair Prices, Service Courteous and Prompt, Friendly Personal Interest To You In the Future As We Have Tried To Be In the Past."

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1st.—Our Silk Hose @ $1.50
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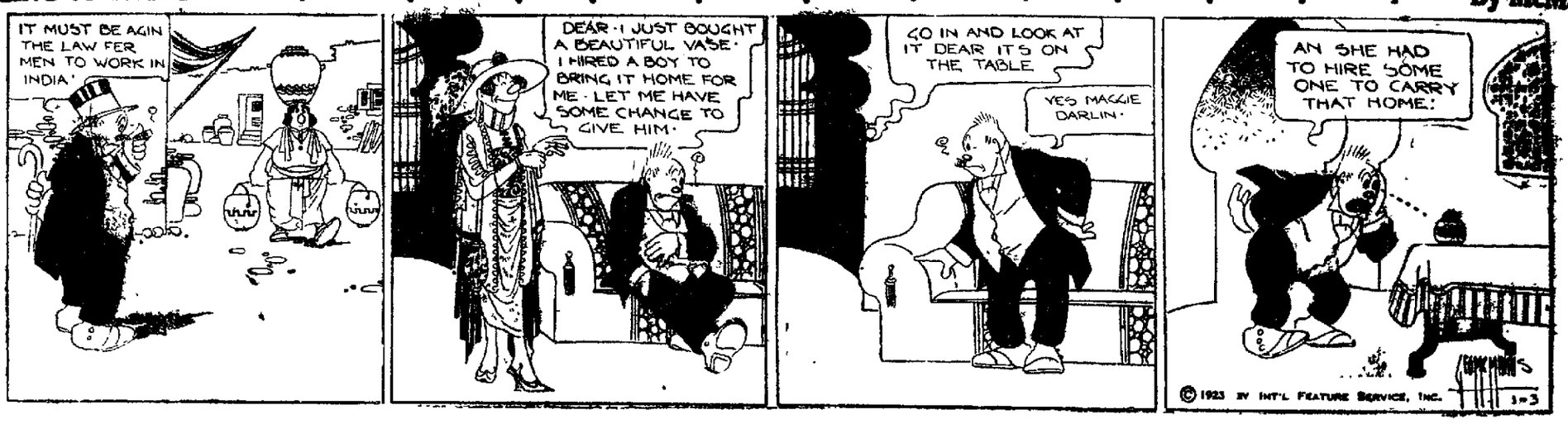
BRINGING UP FATHER

By McManus



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Pancho Villa As A Man of Peace

MEXICO'S FUTURE HOPE IS IN HER RURAL LIFE, SAYS VILLA

By F. G. NEUMEIER
(United Press Staff Correspondent.)

Mexico City, Mexico. (By Mail to United Press.)—"The life of a community is agriculture. If we want to become a great and respected nation we must begin with plenty of schools.

"The future of the nation is in its rural life, in the instruction of the rural classes, although the intellectuals may deny it."

These are not expressions of Mexican educators. They are the expressions of none other but Mexico's former famous outlaw, Francisco "Pancho" Villa.

These statements were made to Miss Esperanza Velasquez Bringas, pretty twenty-year-old Mexican, who "bearded" the former outlaw in his den" at his ranch home in Canutillo. She is believed to be one of the first women in years to interview the former "guerilla" head. She is employed in the federal department of education and is investigating the problem incident to the instruction of the native races.

Miss Bringas has told me the story of her visit to Canutillo and her impressions. She said:

"When we arrived at Parral by train we noticed a group of armed men. Frontier types they were. Tall and robust, each with pistols and rifle and three or four well filled cartridge belts.

"It was General 'Pancho' Villa and his escorts planning to return to Rosario and then to his home at Canutillo.

"I could hardly believe that the former chief of the famous division of the north stood before me.

"As we sat in conversation I watched and noticed each of the phrases used by the ex-revolutionary who has exchanged the life of horror for agricultural pursuits.

"Villa has learned to be amiable, or perhaps he is so by nature, and in his unpolished speech often expresses significant ideas. At times his talk gave me the impression of a crude jar containing some fine essence. It is a rare case of native intelligence. He appears to possess behind his broad forehead and bright eyes the gift of clear vision.

"When we reached Rosario, the end of the railroad line, the general advised us that we would have to remain over night, as it was still a long way to Canutillo, where he lives.

Sent Car For Guest.

"'I'll send a car for you at five in the morning,' he said. 'I'm taking this precaution because you know Murguia (revolutionary leader killed recently by federal forces) tried to reach here just a few days ago. Understand I have my men ready to fight any enemy of peace and order and I'm sure he wouldn't attempt to attack us but it would be better to make the trip by day.'

"He then drove off to his home in a carriage.

"We left the next morning and arrived at Canutillo at three o'clock in the afternoon.

"General Villa received us and his greeting was 'Come right into the dining room. We are holding dinner for you.'

"His affability really astonished me.

"We entered the dining room, a spacious room, redolent with the scent of fruit and new milk, a dining room with a patriarchal table such as those of which Francis James talks.

"Betita, the general's wife, saw to it that we were served a bounteous repast, a delicious soup, mutton and vegetables.

"'When I first came here with the general, I had to roast a little corn and grind it up with some sticks to make gruel. There wasn't a thing to eat, nor anybody to sell anything, as there were no towns anywhere near. I've had to set about building up farms, and little by little the people have come. Today, now, we have meat, corn cakes, milk. We don't lack a thing and that in just two years. How does that look to you?'

"The latter sentence is a habitual expression with the general.

"After a long conversation we retired to sleep. I was assigned to a bedroom, that of Betita, the room being occupied by General Villa's daughters and my cot was placed nearthose three winsome little girls, Micaela, Celia and Juana Maria."

(Tomorrow: "Pancho Villa's School House.")

Stewardship.

We would leave for the consideration of those who shall occupy our places some proof that we hold the blessings transmitted from our fathers in just estimation; some proof of our attachment to the cause of good government and of civil and religious liberty; some proof of a sincere and ardent desire to promote everything which may enlarge the understanding and improve the hearts of men.—Webster.

First Gas Used in This Country.

The first recorded demonstration of gas in the United States was in Philadelphia in August, 1796, when gas was manufactured by M. Ambroise & Co. Italian fireworkers and artists. In Richmond, Va., in 1803, a huge gas lamp was erected on a 40-foot mast which for a time attracted much attention. Introduction of gas lights in Rembrandt Peale's museum in Baltimore in 1816 proved to be such a sensation and success that it led to the organization of a gas company and the lighting of the streets of that city with gas. The light in the museum proved to be even a greater attraction than the skeleton of a mastodon which, up to that time, had been the chief feature of the museum.

Worthy Descendant of Franklin.

Franklin Bache, great-grandson of the immortal Franklin, was for many years professor of chemistry in the Jefferson Medical college and was also president of the American Philosophical society, the latter being an honor of rare distinction. Before his death he had the pleasure of seeing his work the "U. S. Dispensatory," go into its eleventh edition, a sure tribute to his ability as an author. Soldier of the War of 1812, scholar, writer, scientist and scion of a great name, Franklin Bache was of the coterie of Quaker City fathers who contributed a goodly share to the celebrity of their native land.

Like Bread Upon Water.

Is thy cruse of comfort wasting? Rise and share it with another; then through all the years of famine it shall serve thee and thy brother. Is thy burden hard and heavy? Do thy steps drag wearily? Help to bear thy brother's burden—God will bear both it and thee.—Elizabeth Charles.

Cleans Teeth of Saw.

Saws used for cutting metal are frequently rendered inefficient by reason of the particles of metal adhering to the surface and interfering with the cutting operation. A new invention has a tiny wheel which cleans each tooth of the saw after it has passed through the metal.

Seemingly No Escape.

During life Satire lies about literary men and after death Eulogy does the same.—Voltaire.

Punishment to Fit the Crime.

"Could any one get anything now for a long poem, in the epic form?" asks a correspondent. Well, he might get ten years from the judge—if the judge had to read it.—Atlanta Constitution.

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LOOK FOR THE TAG EVERY PAIR. MADE BY
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"A LITTLE NEWSY NEWS OF IMPORTANCE"

To show the trend that the automobile industry is fast increasing, and is the third largest manufacturing industry in the world, proves that the automobile has become a necessity, not a luxury.

The MOON MOTOR CAR CO., of St. Louis, have just had a meeting of the distributors and district sales managers for the MOON MOTOR CAR CO., of St. Louis to review 1922, and to make sales and advertising preparation for 1923. The gathering was a very enthusiastic one as the automobile industry has enjoyed exceptional business, and its dealers and distributors are overjoyed with the exceptional beauty and value that the MOON cars carry with them.

At this meeting, the President of the Company, Mr. Steward McDonald reported many thousand cars sold, and positive specific shipping instructions for the months of December, January and February.

The MOON MOTOR CAR CO. today has a production of 1250 cars per month. One can readily see the future as well as the past satisfied customers in owning MOON automobiles.

Robert L. Derrick, who is the distributor for this territory is more than [illegible] of the wonderful success on Moon's car in this territory. Having years of experience in the automobile business, and knowing that service is imperative, therefore is ready to co-operate with all future prospects in purchase of new cars.

Boone Tree Named.

The "Daniel Boone Judgment tree," an elm, at Femme Osage, 35 miles west of St. Louis, has been nominated for a place in the Hall of Fame for trees. The tree stands upon a farm filled by Boone in 1820.

The Sufferers.

Lois was the daughter of a singer. When she played with other children she wanted to play the things she knew most about. One day she said to a little friend, "Let's have a concert I'll be the singer and you be the audience." "What is audience?" "Why don't you know? They are the one who don't do it," said Lois.

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Tom Sims SAYS---

"Ladies First" is the men's slogan when it is dishwashing time.

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Bathing too often is dangerous. In Louisville, Ky., a man slipped on the soap and broke his arm.

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A Cincinnati man who expected a street car to detour around his auto will recover, doctors think.

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Think you know is never as important as knowing you think.

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Sleep is a great thing. It keeps some people from cussing the government 24 hours a day.

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Money is not very important unless you haven't any.

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"Don't Worry" make a better motto when you add "Others."

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The most dangerous word in this language of ours is "yes."

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The rumor that Germany is collapsing is four years old now.

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With 40 million other things to hope for some still insist on hoping the ex-kaiser's wife beats him.

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A traveler tells us he can't sleep at home unless they rock the bed and throw cinders in his face.

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This world seems worse than it is because you never hear much about the bad things that don't happen.

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Stand on your own rights and you can't be told where to get off.

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The best nation in the world is explanation.

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Just to be the first for 1923 we say "Shop Early."

French Named Two Textiles.

Two textiles owe their names to France. They are cretonne and cambric, the first of which came from the Normandy town of Creton while the second is still manufactured a Cambral.

Accounting for Thunderstorms.

Little Frances had lived in an apartment for some time and was greatly interested when the family upstairs moved. Several weeks later, during a severe thunderstorm, she suddenly said to her mother, "Mother, is some one moving up in the sky?"

Mere Possession Not Sufficient.

No house, hotel or ship should be without a good dictionary, but not necessarily a ponderous one. It is indispensable. But the possession of a dictionary is not sufficient. You must use it.

Send in Your Red Envelope

Ivory Carving in Far North.

One of the most widely followed professions in the Far North is that of the ivory carver, and it is not only an industry, but a pastime as well, filling many of the long evenings of the long arctic winter. The Eskimos have never attained the perfection of the Chinese artisans, due partly to the greater crudity of their methods and partly to the fact that they use the ivory of the walrus instead of that of the elephant.—New York Sun.

Salt in the Oceans.

If a box six feet deep were filled with sea water and allowed to evaporate there would be two inches of salt left on the bottom of the box. Taking the average depth of the oceans of the world to be three miles, there would be a layer of salt 230 feet thick over the entire bed should the water evaporate.

Time for Action.

A young woman in distress writes: "We sent out 60 wedding invitations and only nine presents have been received. What shall we do?" How unresourceful you young people are! Get busy and rush out a follow-up letter.—Boston Transcript.

Dogs and Men.

"There are many inequalities in this life," observed Mr. Grumpson. "Some dogs wear diamond-studded collars and others merely get a can tied to their tails. Except that they have no caudal appendages, men fare pretty much the same way."

Hesitancy.

"Ef'n yo'all got t' fight, anyhow," said Charcoal Eph, in a mood, "pick out a little feller an' hit him when he ain't lookin'. Luck don't favor no man dat go roun' requestin' trouble."—Richmond Times-Dispatch.

Ink 3,500 Years Old.

A sample of dried black ink from an inkstand of the time of Amenhotep III, 3,500 years ago, has been analyzed. The ink contained no iron, its pigment being entirely of carbon.

Cultivate Self-Confidence.

Ability often misses success through lack of courage to try.

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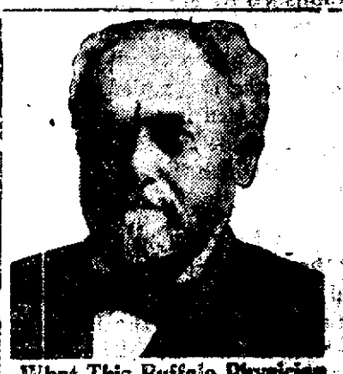

What This Buffalo Physician Has Done For Humanity

The picture which appears here of Dr. Pierce of Buffalo, N. Y., was taken in 1910. As a young man Dr. Pierce practised medicine in Pennsylvania and was known far and wide for his great success in alleviating disease. He early moved to Buffalo and put up in ready-to-use form, his Golden Medical Discovery, the well-known tonic for the blood. This strength-builder is made from a formula which Dr. Pierce found most effective in diseases of the blood. It contains no alcohol and is an extract of native roots with the ingredients plainly stated on the wrapper. Good red blood, vim, vigor and vitality are sure to follow if you take this Alterative Extract. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery clears away pimples and annoying eruptions and tends to keep the complexion fresh and clear. This Discovery corrects the disordered conditions in a sick stomach, aids digestion, acts as a tonic and purifies the blood. Write Dr. Pierce's Invalids Hotel in Buffalo, N. Y., and receive confidential medical advice without charge. All druggists sell Discovery, tablets or liquid. Send 10c for trial pkg.

When a pulley breaks,—or a bearing goes down,—or a shaft gets a kink in it,—or any of those other things happen that bust up your production, doesn't it kind of cheer you up to remember that

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Why the "Morning Grouch?"

Many people awake feeling irritable and nervous—and are annoyed at trifles they wouldn't notice at any other time.

This nervous, irritable feeling lasts until after they have had their cup of coffee—sometimes it takes the second cup.

The reason for this is simple; their nerves are crying out for the caffeine contained in the coffee they crave.

And now, if this "strikes home," ask yourself why you should not quit a habit that makes you nervous and irritable.

Be your natural self; try doing without coffee for a week or so—and drink rich, fragrant Postum instead.

Postum is a pure cereal beverage—refreshing and satisfying, yet absolutely free from caffeine or other harmful ingredients.

Postum comes in two forms:—Instant Postum (in tins) prepared instantly in the cup by the addition of boiling water. Postum Cereal (in packages, for those who prefer to make the drink while the meal is being prepared) made by boiling fully twenty minutes.

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WATCHES AND CLOCKS Running Wrong?
MIGNOT CAN REPAIR THEM
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Brown's Boot Shop

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Pig and Whistle Shop thanks its patrons for their generous support, and that its small remaining stock may make room for new goods orders, all Candy in boxes will be sold during this week at a reduction of ten per cent from the selling list prices fixed by the makers.

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Governor Sproul's report of four years of activity in government circles is indeed a good showing. We need not recount the many things accomplished which were moves in the right direction. Not alone were many things done that win praise and commendation for the governor but many movements were started by that far-seeing executive which will be finished by Mr. Pinchot.

Events come with such frequency and our memory is so short that probably all of us had forgotten all about a great many of the accomplishments of the last four years until they were reviewed in the report. It is indeed fitting that the report was made and the new administration will find it a groundwork on which it can build.

The Progress hears a great many echos from various parts of the county concerning preparations for the coming municipal elections. Good citizens are determined to put into the office of Justice of the Peace and Constable men who are not identified with the liquor interests or the bootlegging fraternity, and are already looking around for good material.

It is the best thing that citizens have undertaken to do in many years. Time was when a 'Squire was looked upon as a wise and effective upholder of the law, and the Constable was not satisfied until his bailiwick was cleared of offenders. This is true in some districts yet today but they are the exception rather than the rule.

It is admitted that local authorities are in a position where it is hard for them to cope with the bootlegger and the moonshiner. If the Constable is known to be a law enforcing officer that slippery, slimy criminal who sells blindness and death, will avoid him. Likewise he will avoid doing any business in the open and on a large scale.

Districts having law enforcing officers have less bootlegging and moonshining than any others by reason thereof.

Do not censure your Constable or your Justice of the Peace simply because there is bootlegging and moonshining going on in their bailiwick. They may be helpless to stop it.

Resolve to remove those officials who, by their habits and their associations, show themselves to be in sympathy with the illegal liquor traffic.

Unless this distinction is drawn you may be punishing the best of men who are doing what they can but, because of circumstances, not getting noticeable results.

You know your men. Are they sympathetic to the enforcement of the dry laws? Do they aid the federal officers? Have they assisted the county authorities?

Find the answer to these questions and then act.

The legislature of this state never performed a better service than they did when thy decreed that each county of our size should have a County Controller; a man to O. K. all bills before they are paid.

The old system of auditing after the bills were paid was like locking the door after the horse was stolen. Under that old system practices grew up for which there was no authority whatever and various officials were allowed costs and fees simply because his predecessor got them.

Naturally every office holder working on the fee sytem, as they did then, charged up everything in sight, and how could you blame them? Precedent was established. It was not for him to question his own right to what had been paid somebody else.

If this county had had a County Controller five years before it did there would have been no litigation between ex-Sheriff Gorman and the county.

PERSONAL SERVICE

The old time idea of a bank as a chilly place for all but the wealthy, is a thing of the past.

The modern bank is a place where the business of the modest depositor is welcomed; wheer the officers are easily accessible at all times.

The County National is a modern bank. The officers are always glad to meet the people and to give personal attention to their business.

H. B. POWELL, President.
A. K. WRIGHT, Vice-President.
R. I. FULTON, Cashier.
R. C. WRIGHT, Assistant Cashier.

The County National Bank
Of Clearfield

The Oldest Bank in Clearfield County

Total Resources Over $6,000,000.00.

HOW TO KEEP YOUR BABY WELL

A Weekly Talk To Mothers Issued Through The Babies' Prophylactic Clinic, Henry Phipps Institution, 7th and Lombard Streets.

TOYS FOR CHILDREN.

Play has such a great influence on a child, that the selection of suitable toys is a more serious problem than you usually suppose.

When you step into a toy shop, particularly at the Christmas holiday season, you see so many beautiful and interesting toys that you are bewildered and do not know which to choose.

In buying toys you must think of more than just what will amuse and please your child. You must consider what is really good for him, how useful it will be, and how long it will last. Remember your child's needs differ at the various stages of his development.

When he is very young he likes toys that will exercise his muscles. He likes things that wiggle their heads or that make smooth, silky, woolen animals are better than fuzzy, wooly ones. As your child begins to walk, he likes things that can be pulled around on a string. Later on, get him beads and mosaic blocks and kneading clay and tools and games that can be used outdoors.

Toys need not be expensive. They do not need to be life-like from the adult's point of view. Mechanical toys and dressed dolls are not really the best of toys. Select things that children can build and construct for themselves, things that will make them use their brains and fingers.

Dolls that can be dressed and undressed and loved are what little girls like. The ones that are too beautiful except for special occasions never win a child's heart.

Buy your child toys that will make interesting games for him. Do not get him a lot of things that have no connection with each other. Little by little, fit out a grocery store or a doll's house. Get scales that will weigh and measure, and furniture that will really hold the dolls.

Get the best toys you can, even if you buy only a few at a time, but see that they are selected to help your child grow in activity, inventive qualities, imagination and skill.

TODAY'S STOCKS

American Hide & Leather	67¼
American Locomotive	127
Baldwin Loco	137⅛
Baltimore & Ohio	42⅝
Bethlehem B.	63⅝
Crucible Steel	71⅛
General Motors	14¾
Great Northern Ry	73
Lehigh Valley	61
Middle States Oil	11⅜
Midvale Steel	29
N. Y. C.	95
Pennsylvania	43⅝
Sinclair Oil	34⅝
St Lebanon	116⅞
Texas Co	48½
U. S. Steel	106⅛
Willys Overland	7

LIBERTY BONDS CLOSING

Liberty 3½'s	100.94
Liberty 2nd 4's	5½
Liberty 2nd 4¼'s	98.42
Liberty 3rd 4¼	98.98
Liberty 4th 4¼'s	98.88
Victory 4¾'s	$100.30

Many Brides Are Perjurers.

Perjury is declared to be quite common among women applying for a marriage license. According to the license clerk's estimate one out of every five brides-to-be purposely gives the wrong name or address.

Helpful Precepts.

I have no precept more wide or valuable than this: Cultivate self help; do not seek or like to be dependent upon others for what you can yourself supply, and keep down as much as you can the standard of your wants for in this lies a great secret of manliness true wealth, and happiness; as on the other hand, the multiplication of our wants makes us effeminate and slavish, as well as selfish.—William Ewart Gladstone.

Philosophical Youngster.

Mother was entertaining a former schoolmate at a luncheon when Bobby entered the room with dirty face, stockings torn and cap all mud. Mother was angry. Margaret Ann said: "Don't worry, mother. That happens in the best regulated families."

Fox's Keen Scent.

A fox can scent a man a quarter of a mile away.

To Be a Means.

More happiness is in itself an insufficient aim. Devotion to some cause gives us a motive beyond this, and raises us to a means, which (in a world where there is so much to be done) is far nobler than to be an end.—James Ram.

Had Her Lesson Perfect.

A little girl was told that polite people did not talk about their ailments in company, or outside the family. So when a visitor asked her if she was well, she said, "Well, in the family I have stomach ache and other complaints, but in company I am quite well, thank you."

Statement of the
BITUMINOUS NATIONAL BANK
AT WINBURNE, PA.

at the close of business Dec. 29, 1922.

Resources		
Loans & Discounts		250,071.09
U. S. Government Securities		62,250.00
Other Bonds and Securities		220,394.14
Overdrafts		1,001.18
Banking House, Fur. & Fixtures		8,500.00
Reserve with Federal Reserve Bank		39,542.88
Cash & Due from Banks		171,663.29
Cash Items		923.59
Redemption Fund With U. S. Treasurer		2,500.00
		756,397.07
Liabilities		
Capital Stock		50,000.00
Surplus		40,000.00
Undivided Profits		9,808.54
Circulation		50,000..00
Certified Checks		200.00
Cashier's Checks		2,562.96
Deposits		
Individual	235,538.43	
Certif. of Deposit	9,738.54	
Other Demand Deposits	7,507.71	
Time Deposits	351,040.89	603,825.57
		756,397.07

I, Walter Stewart, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

WALTER STEWART
Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 3rd da yof January, 1923.

W. D. DUKEMAN
Notary Public
(My commission expires Mar 12, '25)

Correct Attest:
R. H. SOMMERVILLE
H. G. JONES
R. H. GEORGE
Directors

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R. H. George.
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A. E. Hess.
Walter Stewart.
A. J. Peterson.

Condensed Report Of
THE CLEARFIELD TRUST COMPANY
Clearfield, Pa.

Made to the Commissioner of Banking Dec. 30, 1922

RESOURCES		
Liberty Loan Bonds and U. S. Govt. Certificates of Indebtedness		$132,042.30
Other Investments		2,615,653.23
Cash on hand		116,699.07
Cash in Banks		301,252.84
Overdrafts		702.44
		$3,166,349.88
LIABILITIES		
Capital		$ 150,000.00
Surplus and Undivided Profits		345,403.47
Due to Banks		622.25
Reserved for Taxes, etc.		165.41
Reserved for Depreciation		20,000.00
Deposits		2,645,892.77
Payments received on Subscriptions to 4th Liberty Loan		513.50
Bills Payable		None
Dividends Unpaid		3,752.50
		$3,166,349.88

TRUST DEPARTMENT

Trust Funds Invested	$988,651.59
Trust Funds Uninvested	25,986.73
Overdrafts	NONE
Trustee Under Mortgages	3,531,500.00

OFFICERS
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STATEMENT OF THE
COUNTY NATIONAL BANK,
OF CLEARFIELD, PA.,
At the Close of Business
(Condensed from its report to the Comptroller of Currency.)

RESOURCES		
Investments, less demand loans		$5,231,172.35
Overdrafts		1,489.97
United States Bonds		998,415.85
Banking House, Furniture and fixtures		93,030.72
Due from United States Treasurer		25,000.00
Interest earned but not collected		38,693.24
CASH RESOURCES		
Cash on hand	128,254.22	
Due from Banks	754,894.40	
Demand loans on collateral	146,142.00	1,029,290.62
Total		7,417,092.75
LIABILITIES		
Captal Stock	$500,000.00	
Surplus and Net Profits	831,271.11	
		1,331,271.11
Reserved for Interest and Taxes		88,848.23
Circulation		500,000.00
Due to Banks		2,293,84
Dividends Unpaid		298.54
Deposits		5,494.381.07
Total		7,417,092.75

DIRECTORS

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Statement of the
CLEARFIELD NATIONAL BANK
Clearfield, Penna
Condensed from its report to the Comptroller of the Currency, Dec. 29, 1922.

Resources		
Investments		$1,358,434.14
United States Bonds		219,450.00
Bonds, Securities, Etc.		253,100.00
Bank Building and Fixtures		58,000.00
Overdrafts		1,772.67
Due from Banks		210,934.92
Cash on hand		66,885.72
		$2,168,577.45
Liabilities		
Capital Stock		200,000.00
Surplus Fund		200,000.00
Undivided Profits		88,491.82
Dividends Unpaid		7.06
Circulation		200,000.00
Liberty Loan Payments		1,126.15
Bills Payable		65,000.00
Due to Banks		29,270.59
Due Depositors		1,384,681.89
		$2,168,577.45

Officers
James Mitchell, President.
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Try a Progress Want Ad.

Geographical Divisions.

The United States is divided into nine geographical divisions—New England, Middle and South Atlantic, East North Central, East South Central, West North Central, West South Central, Mountain and Pacific states.

Path of Unwisdom.

We too often lose what is certain while we are seeking what is uncertain.

TURN HAIR DARK WITH SAGE TEA

Mixed with Sulphur It Darkens So Naturally Nobody Can Tell

The old-time mixture of Sage Tea and Sulphur for darkening gray, streaked and faded hair is grandmother's recipe, and folks are again using it to keep their hair good, even color, which is quite sensible, as we are being in an age when a youthful appearance is of the greatest advantage.

Nowadays, though, we don't have the troublesome task of gathering the sage and the musty mixing at home. All drug stores sell the ready-to-use product, improved by the addition of other ingredients, called "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound." It is very popular because nobody can discover it has been applied. Simply moisten your comb or a soft brush with it and draw this through your hair, taking one small strand at a time; by morning the gray hair disappears, but what delights the ladies with Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound, is that, besides beautifully darkening the hair after a few applications, it also produces that soft lustre and appearance of abundance which is so attractive.

Why More People Are Joining Our 1923 Xmas Club

The books show that more people have joined our 1923 Xmas Club this year than had joined to a corresponding day last year. There are two reasons for this:

First,—They realize the need of money about the holiday time and recognize in the Christmas Fund a relief from the burden of holiday bills.

Second,—Every person really has a desire to save money. Many use the Christmas Fund as a systematic way of saving, and at the end of the saving period, tranfer their savings to a regular savings account.

You Can Start Tomorrow

Why not do it?

It will help make 1923 a Happy New Year.

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By

ANNA KATHARINE GREEN

Author of The Millionaire Baby, The Filigree Ball, The House In The Mist, Etc.

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Dorothy Tells Her Story To Sinclair

CHAPTER VII

I said no more, but hastened down stairs to his bidding.

I found the lower hall partly lighted, but none in the rooms.

Entering the library, I lit the gas as Sinlair had requested. Then I tried the conservatory door. It was unlocked. I slid quickly out and moved down the hall to where the light of the one burning jet failed to penetrate. "I will watch from here," thought I.

But before I had turned on my steps more than half a dozen times, times the single but brilliant ray coming from some half-opened door in the rear caught my eye, and I had the curiosity to step back and see if any one was sharing my watch. In doing so I came upon the little spiral staircase which, earlier in the evening, Sinclair had heard creak under some unknown footstep. Had this footstep been Dorothy's and if so, what had brought her into this remote portion of the house? Fear? Anguish? Remorse?

Proceeding further, I stood amazed at my own forgetfulness. The light which had attracted my attention came from the room devoted to the display of Miss Murray's wedding-gifts. This I should have known instantly having had a hand in their arrangement. But all my faculties were dulled that night save such as responded to dread and horror. Before going back I paused to look at the detective whose business it was to guard the room. He was sitting very quietly at his post, and if he saw me he did not look up. Strange that I had forgotten this man when keeping my own vigil above. I doubted if Sinclair had remembered him either. Yet he must have been unconsciously sharing our watch from start to finish; must even have heard the cry as only a waking man could hear it. Should I ask him if this was so? No. Perhaps I had not the courage to hear his answer.

Shortly after my return into the main hall I heard steps on the grand staircase. Looking up, I saw the two girls descending, followed by Sinclair.

As they stepped within the rays of the solitary gas-jet already mentioned, I cast one quick look into Gilbertine's face, then a long one into Dorothy's. I could read neither. While Gilbertine advanced bravely, Dorothy's steps lagged, and at the point where she should have turned into the library, she whirled sharply about and made as if she would fly back up stairs.

But one stare from Gilbertine, one word from Sinclair, recalled her to herself and she passed in and the door closed upon the three. I was left to prevent possible intrusion.

According to Sinclair's description the interview proceeded thus:

As soon as the door had closed upon them, and before either of the girls had a chance to speak, he remarked to Gilbertine:

"I have brought you here because I wish to express to you, in the presence of your cousin, my sympathy for the bereavement which in an instant has robbed you both of a life-long guardian. I also wish to say in the light of this sad event, that I am ready to postpone the ceremony which I hoped would unite our lives today. Your wish shall be my law. Gilbertine thought I would suggest that possibly you never more needed the sympathy and protection which only a husband can give than you do today."

"What do you say, Gilbertine?" he asked earnestly.

"Nothing. I have not thought—it is a question for others to decide—others who know what is right better than I. I appreciate your consideration", she suddenly burst out—"and should be glad to tell you at this moment what to expect; but—give me a little time—let me see you later—in the morning, Mr. Sinclair, after we are all somewhat rested and when I can see you quite alone."

Dorothy rose.

"Shall I go?" she asked.

Sinclair with quiet protest, touched her on the shoulder. Quietly she sank back into her seat.

"I want to say a half dozen words to you Miss Camerden. Gilbertine will pardon us; it is about matters which must be settled tonight. Mrs. Armstrong has instructed me to question you, as the one best acquainted with Mrs. Lansing's affairs and general tastes. We will not trouble Gilbertine. She has her own decisions to reach. Dear will you let me make you comfortable in the conservatory while I talk for five minutes with Dorothy?"

He said she met this question with a look so blank and uncomprehending that he just lifted her and carried her in among the palms.

"I must speak to Dorothy," he pleaded, placing her in a chair.

Then he crossed back to the library, he found Dorothy standing with her hand on the knob of the door leading into the hall. Her head was bent and thoughtful. Sinclair gave her no oportunity for hesitation. Advancing rapidly, he laid his hand quietly on hers, and quietly remarked:

"I must ask you to stay and hear what I have to say. I wished to spare Gilbertine; would that I could spare you. But circumstances forbid. You know and I know that aunt did not die of apoplexy."

She gave a violent start and her lips parted.

"You know!" she echoed trembling and pallid, her hand flying instinctively to her hair.

"Yes; you need not feel about for the little box. I took it from its hiding place when I laid you fainting on the bed. Here it is."

He drew it from his pocket and showed it to her. She hardly glanced at it; her eyes were fixed in terror on his face and her lips seemed to be trying in vain to formulate some inquiry.

He tried to be merciful.

"I missed it many hours ago, from the shelf yonder where you all saw me place it. Had I known that you had taken it, I would have repeated to you how deadly were the contents and how dangerous it was to handle the vial or to let others handle it, much less to put it to the lips."

"Have you looked in that little box since you took it from my hair?" she asked.

"Yes."

"Then you know it to be empty."

For answer he pressed the spring, and the little lid flew open.

"It is not empty now, you see." Then more slowly and with infinite meaning "But the little flask is."

"Where was this vial found?" she demanded.

"In the bed with the old lady. I saw it there myself. Mr. Worthington was with me. Nobody else knows anything about it. I wished to give you an opportunity to explain. I begin to think you can—but how, God only knows. The box was hidden in your hair from early evening. I saw your hand continually fluttering toward it all the time we were dancing in the parlor."

"You are right," she said. "I put it there as soon as I took it from the cabinet. I could think of no safer hiding place. Yes, I took it," she acknowledged as she saw the flush rise to his cheek. "I took it; but with no worse motive than the dishonest one of having for my own an object which bewitched me; I was hardly myself when I snatched it from the shelf and thrust it into my hair."

He stared at her in amazement, her confession and her attitude so completely contradicted each other.

"But I had nothing to do with the vial," she went on. And with this declaration her whole manner, even her voice changed. "This I think it right to make plain to you. I supposed the vial to be in the box when I took it, but when I got to my room and had an opportunity to examine the deadly trinket, I found it empty just as you found it when you took it from my hair. Some one had taken the vial out before my hand had even touched the box."

(END CHAPTER VII

CAN YOU DOUBT IT?

When the Proof Can Be So Easily Investigated.

When so many grateful citizens of Clearfield testify to benefit derived from Doan's Kidney Pills, can you doubt the evidence? The proof is not far away—it is almost at your door. Read what a resident of Clearfield says about Doan's Kidney Pills. Can you demand more convincing testimony? Ask your neighbor!

F. R. Waple, 422 W. Front St., Clearfield, says: "I was troubled with a severe pain in the small of my back which caused a lot of distress. I also had severe headaches and a lame and tired feeling all over. I purchased a box of Doan's Kidney Pills and they did me a lot of good from the start. Two boxes of this medicine fixed me up in fine shape. Since then, when I have had an attack of that kind, I have used Doan's and have always brought good results."

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NEWS OF OUR NEIGHBORS

CURWENSVILLE

William B. Condon, who makes the town of Philipsburg his permanent abiding place, was in Curwensville yesterday forenoon and spent the time in hunting up old time comrades. He was enroute to Reynoldsville to purchase some mine mules.

The new co-operative store is now assured for Curwensville. A number of town and township residents have subscribed for stock ranging in sums from $100 to $1,000. The store will be opened in the north room of the Central hotel, and will do business at that point until a more commodious place can be had in the central part of State street.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Fleming, residents of Grampian, are the proud parents of a pair of twin boys, which the stork left at their home on Sunday night, about the hour when the new year dawned. May the lads grow and prosper in this old hemisphere of ours.

The last season's High School football squad was summoned before Photographer Bonsall yesterday afternoon and had a group picture taken.

Mrs. J. W. McCorkle, of Clearfield, was a visitor in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. C. Fleming several days this week.

Robert Allen, an infant son of Allen C. and Eva W. Passmore, died at the home on Monday night. The funeral was held on Tuesday afternoon Funeral Director Doverspike having charge of the body. Interment in Oak Hill.

Mervel Weaver, who is preparing to enter the ministry, was at his home in this place over the holiday week, returning Monday to Philadelphia to resume his studies.

A square dance was held in the Red Men's rooms on Monday evening at which a large crowd enjoyed the time until the wee sma' hours. A round dance was also pulled off at the Legion rooms at the same time and was quite well attended by those who are partial to that manner of dancing.

Misses Cora Wolf and Elizabeth Wall leave today to return to their studies at Beechwood College, near Philadelphia.

Friday evening the members of the football squad of 1922, with a number of invited guests, will hold a parting banquet, at which time some of the minor players will be presented with a letter to adorn their sweaters. Several of the old-time players will be presented with a gold football in remembrance of their work. Unless something turns up to spoil the program between this date and Friday, a royal, good and jolly time will be the result. Let her go, Gallagher.

Ralph Bennett, who was shot in the hand accidentally by his uncle while out after rabbits several weeks ago, is having a serious time with the wound. He has had several operations, and the end is not yet, as he may possibly lose two or more fingers.

Abe Robinson, a one time merchant of this place, came up from Clearfield yesterday to ascertain how things were running in the old town in a business way.

Mrs. James Rubbi, residing along Bailey road, but within borough limits, had the misfortune to fall on the ice near her home on Monday evening with the result of breaking a small bone in her left ankle.

Martha Angeline Hetrick, 14-year-old daughter of J. K. and Della Hetrick, died at the home of her parents on River street, Monday. The funeral services were held this forenoon at her former home, after which the body was conveyed to DuBois for interment.

Mrs. C. E. Doverspike is confined to her home suffering from a severe cold, contracted while on a visit to her old home at Bethlehem, Pa.

Watt H. Thompson, a native son of old Curwensville, came up from Williamsport Monday and spent several days with relatives. In personal appearance, "Wamby" has not altered a great deal, despite his living down river in a malaria country.

M. J. Kelly, who has been sort of under the weather physically for a number of months, took a turn for the worse the other day and his physicians thought it advisable to take him to Clearfield hospital for treatment, which was done on Monday.

Mrs. Warren Kephart of the South Side entertained a number of her friends at a card party Monday evening. The hostess had made preparations to give her guests a pleasant entertainment, and if one is permitted to judge by the conversation when they were homewad bound, they certainly had it.

Harry Crago, a board member of District No. 2, U. M. W. of A., was over from his Philipsburg home yesterday on business connected with his position. His district is comprised of eight counties. The miners thruout his territory, he said, are working only on an average of about three days a week. Shortage of cars was the direct and only cause for this slack work. There is a great demand for coal all over the country. He is confident, however, that the railroads will loosen up pretty soon and then the supply of cars will be adequate. The mines are all organized in his bailiwick, with the exception, perhaps, of a half dozen or so small operations.

Mrs. Frank Maurey, of Grampian, called on Curwensville friends and acquaintances yesterday.

William McDonald, one of the "setters" at the finishing tannery, while pushing forward a "horse" of leather one day last week made a misstep and bumped his side with sufficient force to fracture several ribs. The accident will compell him to cease work for a week, or perhaps longer.

Misses Gretchen Leib, Margaret Hipps, Jane Teats and Joseph Hipps, four Curwensville young people who are attending Grove City College, and who have been home for several weeks, returned to that institution yesterday to resume their studies.

Tomorrow evening is the date set apart in Pythian circles for the installation of officers of Curwensville lodge No. 486. A light luncheon and smoker will be indulged in after the regular line of lodge work is completed. The district grand chancellor will be present and sort of oversee the installation exercises.

LEAMER—PETERS

Donald B. Leamer of Altoona and Miss Lena Peters of Curwensville were married on Saturday evening at Johnstown by Rev. Dr. C. C. Hays, pastor of First Presbyterian church of that city and moderator of the general assembly of the church. Mr. Leamer is a son of Alderman and Mrs. William C. Leamer of the Twelfth ward, Altoona, and is employed by the Bell Telephone company. His bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Peters of Curwensville.

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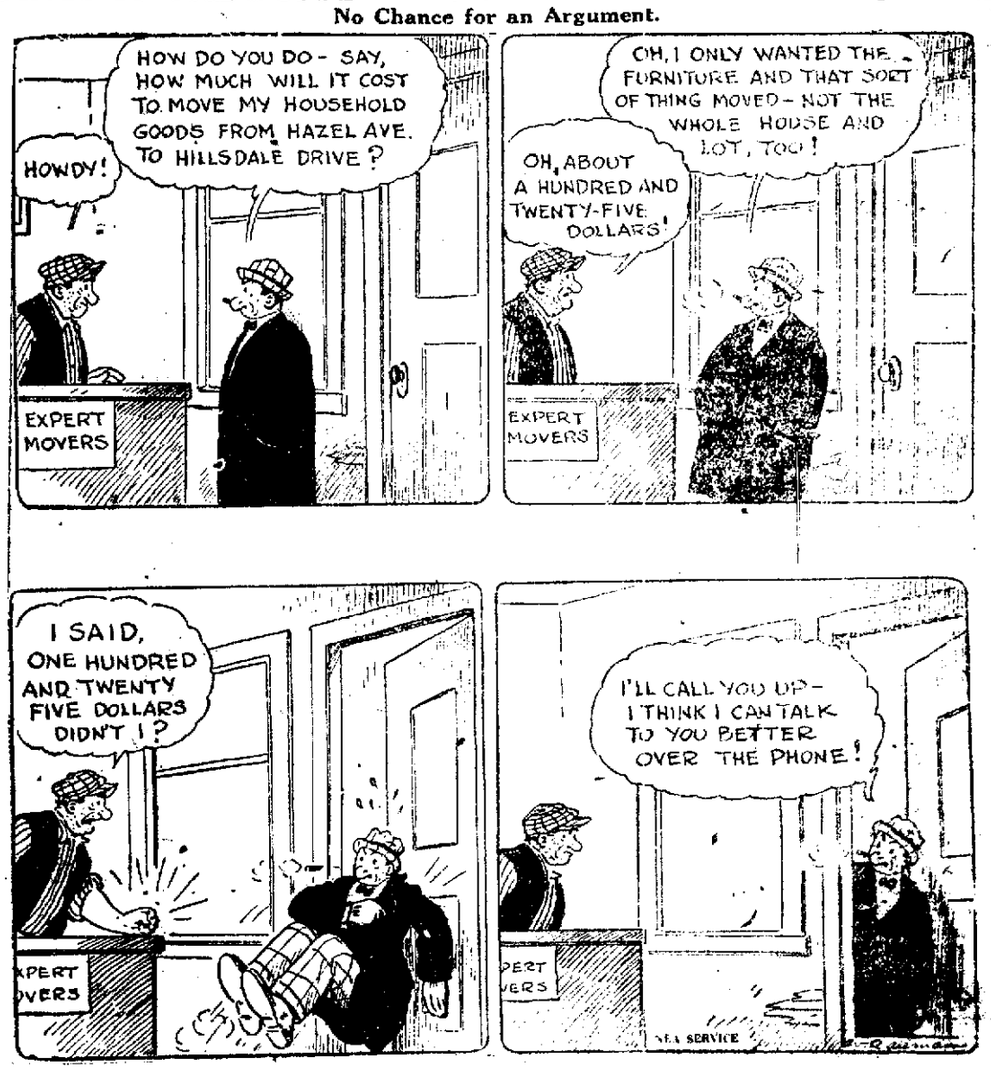

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Gossip For Tonight's Tea Table

Mr. Hollingsworth of Pittsburg was a week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. John Forsythe.

Billy Davis and William Gearhart have returned from Crystal Springs camp where they spent the past few days.

Rembrandt Peale, Esq., and son Richard were Clearfield visitors yesterday.

Albert Wright, Jr., of Philadelphia is spending several days in town.

University of Michigan students returning to Ann Arbor included Ted Betts, Robert and Theodore Kurtz, and Laurence Howe.

Leslie Hallen returned from Philadelphia yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Preston Croyle of Williamsburg are visiting Mr. Croyle's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Croyle.

R. S. Heberling, Sandy township assessor, and George Warrender, assessor of Osceola borough, made their returns to the County Commissioners today.

The employees of the Electric Supply Co. were entertained at dinner on Monday evening.

Miss Isabel Coleman of Williamsport was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Johnson.

Dr. and Mrs. Reilly are being congratulated on the birth of a daughter on Monday.

Fred J. Dyer of Curwensville transacted business here yesterday.

Bill Buckley of Lorraine, Ohio, has returned home, having visited his sister, Mrs. Johnson.

Miss Mary Chase has returned to the University of Michigan, where she is a student.

Misses Jane Hagerty, Lulu Tobias, and Gladys Cooper have returned to Dickinson College.

Mrs. C. S. Russell of Curwensville spent Tuesday in town.

Miss Dolly Howenstine and Ted Wright, who spent the Christmas holidays with Mr. Wright's parents, have returned to Johnstown.

Bishop Shaw has returned to Dickinson College.

Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Betts have gone to Harrisburg.

Miss Ona Froyd has returned to Kane.

Miss Catherine Way and Miss Josephine Lytle have returned to Philadelphia, where they are students at Drexel Institute.

Miss Katherine Moore has returned to Virginia where she is attending one of the Southern schools.

Fred Em has returned from Syracuse where he spent the holidays.

Thos. J. Patton has returned from a visit to Pittsburg.

Raymond Schneid has arrived from Syracuse to take over the duties of superintendent of the American Nickel Corporation's plant at Hyde.

William Muntz has returned from Buffalo, where he spent the holiday season.

Dr. and Mrs. Shivery of Woodland have returned home from Florida and Cuba.

Miss Helen Philips entertained at a drop-in Saturday evening in honor of Miss Helen Grant of Inditna, who is the house guest of Miss Catherine Eisenhauer.

Miss Ruth Reiter and Miss Miriam Brown of Karthaus returned to Indiana Normal yesterday.

Miss Grace Bloom, a teacher in the Johnstown schools, has returned after spending the holiday vacation with her mother.

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FOR THE RELIEF OF
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-SOLD EVERYWHERE-

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Thought From "Poor Richard."

"An undutiful daughter will prove an unmanageable wife" is a quotation from Benjamin Franklin's "Poor Richard."

Love Something.

For God's sake, love somebody, something, some ideal, anything besides self. Love is the uplifter.—Forbes Magazine (N. Y.).

A Treasure to Be Safeguarded.

Fuel Hint—When you get a cinder in your eye, run home and put it in the coalbin.—Toledo News-Bee.

Economy hint: Read Progress Ads.

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Back hurt you? Can't straighten up without feeling sudden pains, sharp aches and twinges? Now listen! That's lumbago, sciatica or maybe from a strain, and you'll get relief the moment you rub your back with soothing, penetrating "St. Jacobs Oil." Nothing else takes out soreness, lameness and stiffness so quickly. You simply rub it on your back and out comes the pain. It is harmless and doesn't burn the skin.

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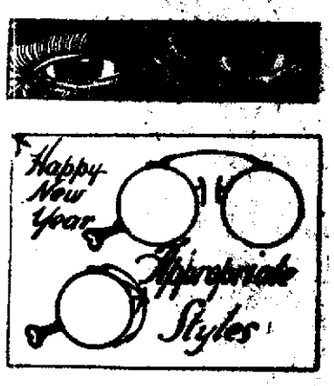

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